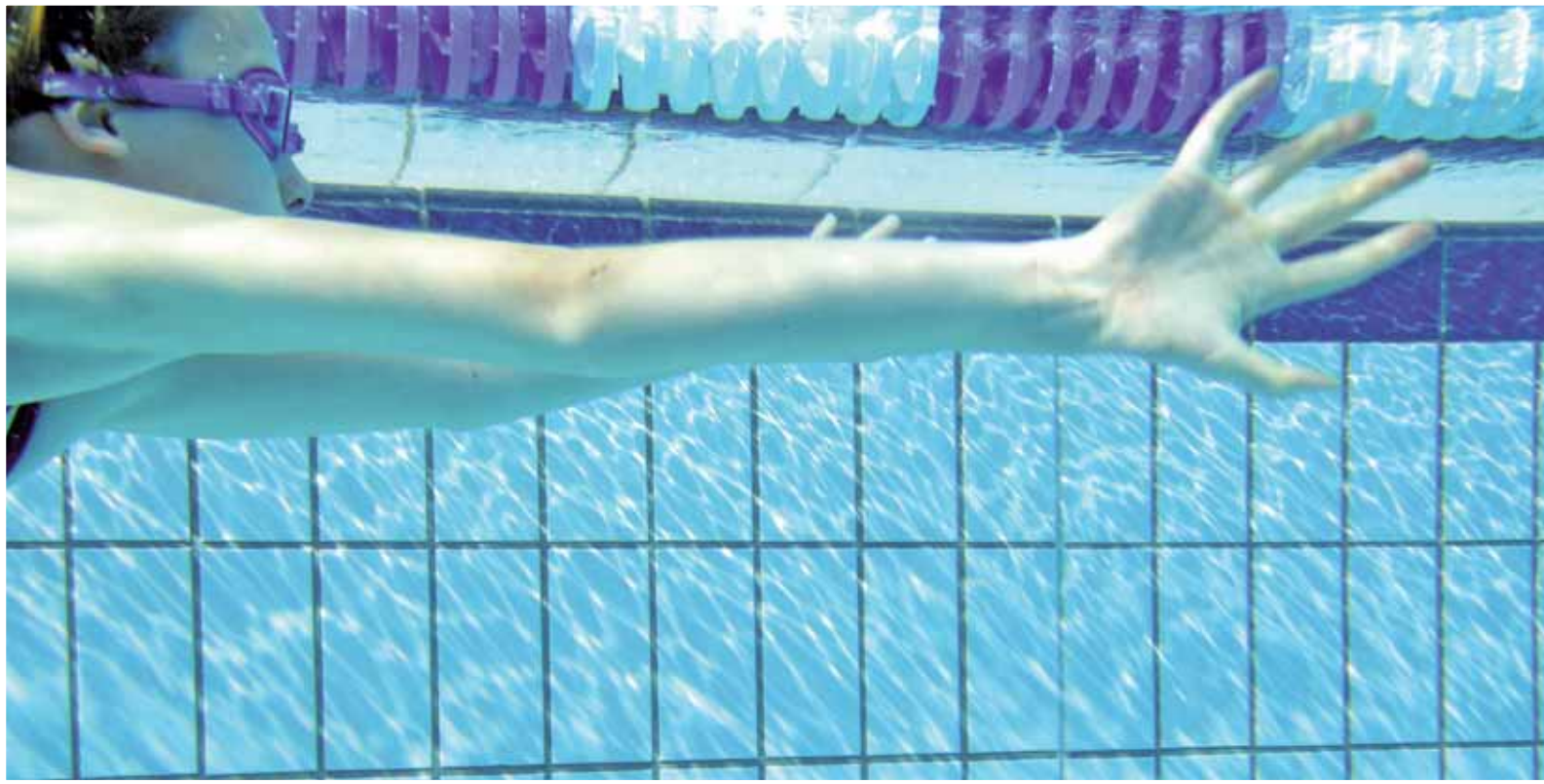


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Get fit for a good cause by signing up for Swimathon 2009

HACKNEY swimmers are being urged to register for a nationwide Swimathon to raise money for Marie Curie Cancer Care on 17 April.

London Fields Lido currently has one of the highest sign-up rates in the country and is looking to take the top spot. Swimmers can test

themselves with the ultimate 5K challenge, 2.5K for the intermediate swimmer, or 1.5K for occasional swimmers.

Those interested in joining forces with friends, colleagues or family, can complete 5K as part of a team of up to five people.

Entrants can also register at Clissold and Kings Hall Leisure Centre. The deadline is 11.45pm on 14 April. Visit: www.swimathon.org

MASTERSTROKE

By
Karyn Michael



THOUSANDS of residents will be able to swim for free at Hackney's leisure centres thanks to a new scheme launched this month.

Young people, up to the age of 18, already have access to free swimming during the school holidays, but now they will be able to take advantage of this all year round. The scheme has also been extended to

benefit the over 60s.

The move was praised by Age Concern Hackney. Its Chief Executive, Olexandra Stepaniuk, said: "I very much welcome the Council's move to offer free swimming for the over 60s so that many more of them can access this form of gentle exercise as well as the chance to mix and socialise."

The scheme is part of a Government funded initiative for under 16s and over 60s, to get more people active in the run up to London 2012 and improve their health.

The Council has injected extra investment to widen the scheme to include Hackney's 16 to 18-year-olds.

“The numbers of visitors to Hackney's leisure facilities is growing all the time”

Cllr Nargis Khan, Cabinet Member for Community Services, said:

"The Council is pleased to build on the success of our under 18s free swimming scheme by offering even more local residents opportunities to swim.

"Thanks to our investment in local sport and leisure services, the numbers of visitors to Hackney's leisure facilities is growing all the time and I urge local people to take advantage of this offer."

Participating pools at Kings Hall, Britannia and Clissold leisure centres will be holding free swimming sessions at dedicated times.

Over 60s and existing leisure centre members do not need to register to take advantage of the offer, just turn up at one of the advertised free swimming times.

Non-members can register online or at participating leisure centres. Proof of age will be required. Once successfully registered, applicants will receive a membership card entitling them to free swims.

MORE INFO

For details visit: www.gll.org/freeswimming



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Message from the Mayor

Free swimming to make a splash across Britain

IN addition to freezing Council Tax for the fourth successive year, the Council – with support from the Government – has funded the extension of our free swimming programme, which starts this week.

Our under 18s can swim for free at Kings Hall, Britannia and Clissold leisure centres all year round. It also abolishes charges for the over 60s.

Introducing free swimming for young people was one of my manifesto commitments in 2006, and Hackney was one of the first boroughs to introduce this two years ago.

It has contributed to the record numbers of people using our leisure centres – over a million visits last year, for the first time ever – and I am pleased the Government recognises how successful free swimming has been in Hackney and is now extending such schemes nationwide.

As well as being one of the most effective ways of staying healthy, swimming is also great fun, and can be a good way to meet new people.

I hope that residents take advantage of this scheme and pay a visit to their local Council pool.

Jules Pipe

Jules Pipe, elected Mayor of Hackney



Britannia Leisure Centre



Under-18 and over-60 swimmers can now enjoy a free dip



Staff celebrate the opening of Millfields Waste Depot and proudly display their NVQ and First Aid certificates (above); the waste transfer station under construction (below)

Open for business

By
Gracia Douglas

A NEW £1.3million base for Hackney's waste services has officially opened.

The Millfields Waste Depot will be a base for 300 staff, most of whom will be out and about every day keeping the borough clean and rubbish free.

The building will operate 23 hours a day and has a fully accessible public office with changing facilities and many green features, including a biomass pellet boiler to

power constant hot water; water saving infra-red taps and push button showers; plus heat exchange air conditioning units.

It also boasts a living roof covered in turf, grass and wild flowers that provides insulation, while helping to reduce carbon dioxide and improve air quality.

The depot, on the site of the old Power Station in Millfields Road, Clapton, was officially opened by Mayor Jules Pipe on 23 March. He was joined by the Council's Chief Executive,

Tim Shields, Cllr Alan

Laing, Cabinet Member for Neighbourhoods, and representatives from the building contractors and the London Development Agency (LDA) which jointly funded the project with the Council.

Cllr Laing said: "The new facilities and redevelopment of the depot is a fine example of a strong partnership that demonstrates our commitment to improve waste services in Hackney. I'd like to thank staff for their support and hard work throughout the building works, which has contributed greatly in helping us to make the borough cleaner and greener."

The opening of the new building is the first stage in the redevelopment

“The new facilities and redevelopment of the depot is a fine example of a strong partnership”

of the site, due to be completed later this year. When finished, the depot will include a new waste transfer station; a two-bay vehicle workshop; new fuelling system, vehicle wash; as well as parking space for waste vehicles.

There will also be a new CCTV security system and high-quality lighting that will take account of the wildlife along the River Lee, which borders the site, with light spillage minimised as far as possible.

MORE INFO

Call: 020 8356 6688 or visit:
www.hackney.gov.uk/environment-planning.htm



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Get ready to row all the way to the 2012 Games

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Clapton Rangers FC and fans celebrate being the first team to take the FA London Sunday Cup for two years in a row

Record win

By
Ruth Garland



YOUTH football team Clapton Rangers have lifted the FA London Sunday Cup, after successfully defending their title.

Two coach loads of supporters from Clapton Park estate were there to

cheer them on as they beat Yavruvantan 4-0 on 29 March, becoming the first team to take the title two seasons in a row. Mark Whyte, team chairman and co-founder, and a former youth player himself, said: "This is an amazing achievement by the young people. An occasion

like this is a great lift for the community.

"The players trained really hard to reach a high level of fitness and skill and the team ethic is as a result of our community



“An occasion like this is a great lift for the community”

development programme. The club started in 2005 and is not just about football, but community and team spirit.”

Midfielder Sid Egan, who scored the first goal was tired but jubilant, declaring: "It feels great to be a champion."

The squad is made up of young men aged 18-25 from the Clapton Park and Kingsmead estates, and trains weekly on Hackney marshes.

Clapton Rangers reformed for the 2006-7 season, after a 20-year absence from Sunday football. The club has since expanded with the help of a community grant from Team Hackney, the borough's local strategic partnership. The club are now considering whether to enter the National FA Sunday Cup.

MORE INFO

For info on Clapton Rangers visit: www.claptonpark.com

NEWS IN BRIEF



Cllr Guy Nicholson, Liz Johnson, and Dervis Konuralp with the young swimmers

Some tips from the top

CHILDREN had the chance to learn from the best when two GB Paralympic champions joined them at a disability swimming gala at Clissold Leisure Centre in Stoke Newington.

The young people met Dervis Konuralp, Hackney's own Paralympian and the borough's Olympic and Paralympic ambassador; and Liz Johnson, Team GB's 100m breaststroke gold medallist at the Beijing Paralympic Games. After coaching tips from Dervis and Liz in the morning, the young athletes got the chance to compete against each other in the afternoon. Cllr Guy Nicholson, Cabinet Member for Regeneration and the 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games, said: "It was great to see these young athletes enjoying swimming and being inspired by two great Paralympians." The day was organised by the Council's 2012 team, The Learning Trust, and the Council's leisure partner GLL. For information about disability swimming in Hackney, call Marianne Sharpe on: **07984 815 760** or e-mail: marianne.sharpe@hackney.gov.uk

Stick your oar in

AN initiative has been launched to get more young people taking to the water. Row East London wants to encourage more Hackney children and teenagers to start regular physical activity including taking up rowing. The scheme, which received £628,000 from Sport England, is due to be introduced in half of the schools and a number of youth clubs in the ten 2012 Olympic and Paralympic host or gateway boroughs.

As part of the launch, teams representing each of the boroughs took part in a relay race at the third annual National Junior Indoor Rowing Championships, where 2,000 young contestants gathered from across the UK. Katherine Grainger, triple Olympic silver medallist for Great Britain was there. She said: "Row East London will further swell the numbers from London and maybe some of those will row and one day stand on the Olympic rostrum alongside us."

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Crowds turned out to watch the 3 (Volunteer) Military Intelligence Battalion receive the Freedom of the Borough and parade through Hackney's streets on 29 March

Freedom to march

By
James Willsher



HACKNEY's only Territorial Army unit has been granted the Freedom of the Borough.

The 3 (Volunteer) Military Intelligence Battalion – known as 3MI – exercised their new freedom by marching through the streets of Hackney for the first time on 29 March.

Soldiers from 3MI, based in Worship Street, Shoreditch, make up the main Territorial elements of the Intelligence Corps.

Sixty per cent of the unit have seen operational service working alongside their regular Army colleagues.

Mayor of Hackney, Jules Pipe, said: "This is the highest honour the borough can give, and it is important to recognise the service of men and women of the reserve forces who have such close links with Hackney."

The parade set off from Reading Lane with 3MI following the Band of the Brigade of Gurkhas and, in keeping with their role, rifles and bayonets were not on display. They marched to Morning Lane, past the General Browning Memorable Order of Tin Hats club, before returning to the Town Hall where a salute was taken on the steps. Following prayers and a short service, Volunteer Reserve Forces Service Medals (VRSMs) and Overseas Service Medals (OSMs) were then presented to some

"This is the highest honour the borough can give"

members of the parade. A civic reception took place afterwards in the Assembly Halls.

The event was also attended by Sir David Brewer, Kt CMG Lord Lieutenant for Greater London; Brigadier Mark Hallas MBE, Director Intelligence Corps; Brigadier David Paterson OBE, Deputy Commander, London District; and Lieutenant Colonel Roderick Morriss TD DL, the Queen's representative in the borough.

The Freedom of the Borough was bestowed on 3MI at a special meeting of the Council last October.



Bridging the
generationsTHIS
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Youngsters on the Caribbean island of Montserrat are set to benefit from a book donation by Hackney libraries

The gift of reading

By
Karyn Michael

BOOKS from libraries across Hackney have been donated to schoolchildren in Montserrat.

Around 400 study support and fiction books for 10 to 16-year-olds that

are no longer used by the Council's Libraries and Archives Service have been collected for the East Caribbean island.

Montserrat has suffered devastating volcanic eruptions which have left the country with only one public library to service its 6,000 strong population – half of which are registered library users. The same library also supports four

primary schools, a pupil support unit and a prison.

Cllr Nargis Khan, Cabinet Member for Community Services, said: "As Montserrat suffers from extremely limited resources for literature and study materials, the Council is only too pleased to be able to put these books to good use, which would otherwise be sold off or recycled. I hope the

“The Council is only too pleased to be able to put these books to good use”

books prove as useful to the island's children as they did for children in Hackney.”

Deputy Speaker of Hackney, Cllr Muttalip Unluer, officially presented the books to Janice Panton, head of the Montserrat UK government office at Homerton Library on 2 April. Ms Panton said: “This donation is very much appreciated, and will be of particular use this year as our schoolchildren have exams this summer.

“Montserrat's Library is expanding the resources it offers at a slow, but steady rate and this is thanks to the support from our librarian colleagues like those in Hackney.”

NEWS IN BRIEF

Another milestone for Henry

FIRST World War veteran Henry Allingham, who was born nearly 113 years ago in Clapton, has reached a new milestone by becoming officially the oldest British man – ever. On 29 March, Henry set a new record, surpassing Welshman John Evans, who died in 1990 aged 112 years and 295 days. Henry passed the day quietly at St Dunstan's care home for blind ex-service personnel near Brighton where he now lives.

In February, Henry visited Northwold Primary School, E5, and talked to pupils about what it was like to grow up in Hackney over 100 years ago. He is one of just two surviving First World War veterans in the UK, and is also the oldest Royal Navy veteran. Henry is due to become a ‘teenager’ again on 6 June, when he will turn 113.



Henry on his visit to Hackney's Northwold Primary last month

A sketch in time

A LOCAL artist inspired by the construction work at Dalston Square has been officially appointed to make a series of drawings to record the development.

Alexandra Blum is frequently on site charting the project which will transform the area and provide more than 500 new homes, a lively public square, new library and public archive, shops, restaurants and a new London Overground station.

She has also worked with children from Holy Trinity Primary School, leading a series of art workshops to help them think about the changes taking place on their doorstep.

The London Development Agency and landowners, Transport for London and the Council, are working with developers Barratt Homes to build the new homes at Dalston Square, including both social rented housing and homes for sale.

Barratt Homes appointed Alexandra and intends to put her drawings on display at a public exhibition in the summer.



Children during an art class on the development

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Feeding dreams

By
Ruth Garland

CELEBRITY chef and restaurateur Paul Rankin was full of praise when he launched a new hospitality and catering training centre at Hackney Community College.

"It's state of the art. Simple, but well laid out and practical for the skills they need. I wish my kitchen was as nice as this," said the Ready Steady Cook regular.

The centre in Hoxton Street, boosted by funding from the London Development Agency (LDA), will provide world-class hospitality training in East London.

"A great showcase of the talents of our students as well as our impressive new facility"

The Open Kitchen Bar & Restaurant on the ground floor will be staffed by students, offering them a unique opportunity to put their skills to immediate use and gain valuable experience that could lead to further employment.

The kitchen is on the first floor, with a large classroom and 20 training kitchen suites above that, where students take NVQ based courses in cookery, customer service, bar work, food and drink, hospitality, and management.

Paul taught a group how to prepare his signature canape dish – seared fillet of beef with celery and Parmesan mayonnaise – and spent the rest of the day at the college, before joining the guests for the evening launch on 30 March.

Hospitality school head, Yiannis Koursis, said: "Our training restaurant is a great showcase of the talents of our students, as well as our impressive new facility. It will support hundreds of local people to get qualifications, and also provide an innovative new

eating experience."

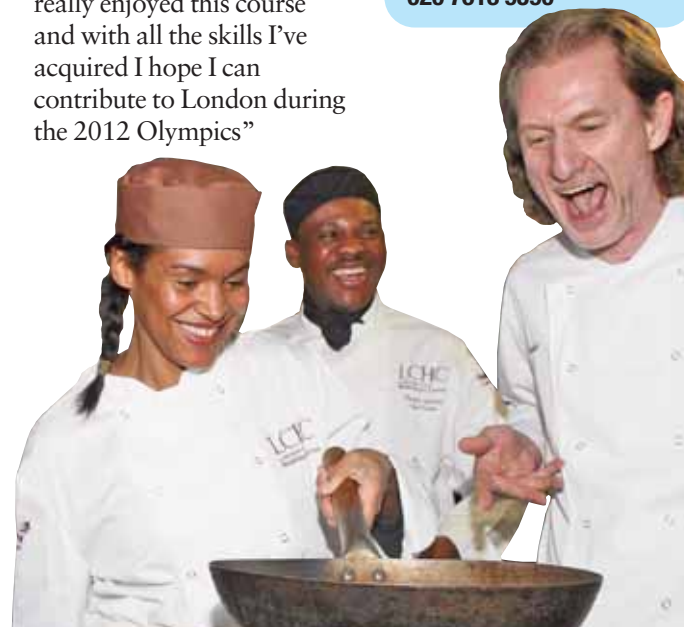
College Principal, Ian Ashman, said: "Part of the legacy of the Games is about attracting tourism. We're here to develop the skills that the industry needs to succeed."

Veronica Aska, 54, who achieved a Level One in Professional Cookery, believes the course helped her on both a personal and professional level. She said: "As a mature student, returning to education was a bit daunting, however I learnt a lot of new things. I really enjoyed this course and with all the skills I've acquired I hope I can contribute to London during the 2012 Olympics"



MORE INFO

For details of courses or to book a table at the Open Kitchen restaurant call
020 7613 9590



Clockwise from above: Yiannis Koursis shows off the training kitchen to guests including LDA Head of Olympic Opportunities, Geoff Newton; guests tuck into mini fish and chips; trainees at work; Principal Ian Ashman and celebrity chef Paul Rankin with the opening plaque; the sign outside the restaurant; Paul with student Naomi Richards and chef lecturer Mandji Attoma

feature



Making a difference

Celebrating funding for youth projects



Pictures: Olivia Harriss



This page, clockwise from above: Abigail, 8, and Served, 10; Shoreditch Youth Football Club and their coaches; Joseph, 9, from VLC Youth Project; and fellow karate kid Lauren, 9

By
Gracia Douglas



INNOVATIVE projects chosen for funding by the borough's young people were celebrated at a colourful showcase event.

Over 200 people gathered at Hackney Town Hall to recognise the work given a vital boost by the Youth Opportunity and Youth Capital funds. The evening on 26 March was a lively mix of presentations and

performances, including a martial arts demonstration by VLC Youth Project; dancing from KANGA Kurdish Youth Group; and rap from local up and coming hip-hop act Bubbz.

Certificates were also presented to projects backed by the Youth Opportunity Fund (YOF). So far, it has supported over 150 youth-led activities in Hackney, from events and residential to arts, sports, journalism, film, music and IT projects.

The Youth Capital Fund (YCF) has helped renovate a number of premises and

purchase new equipment for youth projects.

The funds are managed by a group of dedicated young grant makers, who have developed the criteria for assessment. They also planned and hosted the showcase event with the help of Hackney Youth Service.

"It was a really good evening and a chance to see some of the local projects in action," said Alex Teniola, 16, grant maker for the YOF panel.

“The funding is an important income for many and it was great to see what our support has helped to achieve”



This page, clockwise from above: Cllr Krishna with YOF volunteers; KANGA Kurdish dancers Rowand Asaid, 19, Bana Mhaldien, 16, Lana Mhaldien, 18, Sahand Asaid, 17, and Tara Sardar, 18; dancer Karwand Salih, 18, in action; Cecelia, 15, and Ify, 14, proudly wearing their I Love Hackney t-shirts



“The funding is an important source of income for many of them and it was great to see what our support has helped to achieve.”

Representatives from youth projects from across Hackney, external organisations, panels from other boroughs, and guests including Cllr Rita Krishna, Cabinet Member for Children’s Services, attended the event.

Cllr Krishna said: “It was wonderful to see at first hand and in one place the range of ways Youth Opportunity Fund money has been used in the two years since it was launched.

“Young people have shown great enterprise and creativity – which is why it is important that such things continue to be led by young people with support where they want or need it. My congratulations to all involved.”

Both funds receive money from the Government, London Development Agency and Government Office for London. This is in addition to the Council’s investment in Youth Services over the last three years, including £1.5 million to commission activities for young people through Team Hackney.

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Take the nice road



Picture: Sean Pollock

TV presenter and PR guru Nick Ede in his colourful home near Broadway Market

By
Gossica Anichebe



NAMED as one of the top 100 most influential people in events and PR, Nick Ede believes in working hard and being a nice guy.

As well as running a busy PR agency, it's possible

you've seen Nick in a range of TV presenting roles.

Born in Edinburgh, he knew from an early age what he wanted to do. "I always dreamed of living in London," he says. And in 1996 that's exactly what he did. Helped out by his scientist father and teacher and musician mother, Nick set off for the bright lights of the big city with two month's rent in his pocket.

He settled in Stoke Newington, but in 1997 his mother died from a stroke on the same day as Princess Diana. "I felt I wasn't allowed to grieve for my mum, as the nation was in mourning," Nick explains.

He left London to be near his dad and older brother in Edinburgh and stayed there for a year to bring himself 'back to life'. Then he returned to East London to

visit a friend, and decided to stay on – a moment in his life that he describes as the 'turning point'.

Taking his mother's last words, 'be true to yourself', as his motivation, Nick set out to raise awareness and honour her memory by doing what he does best. He organised a charity event to support the Stroke Association.

While planning the big night, Nick bumped into EastEnders actress Pasty Palmer and asked her to come along. Another day saw a chance encounter with celebrity chef Jamie Oliver. Both showed their support by turning up, and the event – now an annual bash – was a major career boost for Nick. He then moved to Kingsland Road and got a job with lastminute.com where he was in charge of promoting entertainment, but left to pursue his dream of working in TV.

For six months he was an unpaid runner for Shine Television. Nick says of the

time: "I had no money and was a runner 10 years older than everybody else."

“There are open spaces that I never imagined existed”

In 2004, he got a break co-hosting the Russell Grant Show on Sky One. It was then he realised his vocation. "I found myself styling for celebrities and I became a lifestyle expert," he said.

In 2005, he set up Eden Lifestyle, which later became EdenCancan, following a merger with Cancan Communications in 2006.

The business took off after actress and model Jennifer Ellison asked Nick to throw a party for her around the time she was entering ITV's Hell's Kitchen. The party received massive coverage in OK magazine, and Nick hasn't looked back.

Since his first move to London, Nick has always been drawn back to Hackney. He has now settled near Broadway Market, and says: "I love the history, fashion and interesting places to go."

The last few years have seen Nick take on a series of presenting roles, and he dedicates one day a week to TV. He is currently working on a jewellery line and also has plans to write a book. But he still finds time to relax in the borough.

"Some of my favourite haunts include the Geffrye Museum on Kingsland Road; a walk through London Fields; and the Lido. There are open spaces that I never imagined existed."

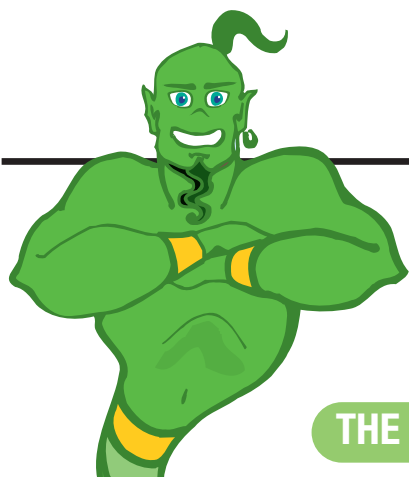
"I also spend half my time – and salary – in the Cat and Mutton on Broadway Market."

MORE INFO

To find out how you can support stroke victims visit: www.stroke.org.uk

Curriculum Vitae Nick Ede

1974	Born, Edinburgh
1980-91	Student at Edinburgh Academy
1991-92	Foundation course at Glasgow School of Art
1999-95	Bretton Hall University, Degree in Theatre
1998	Set up A Night With Nick – an annual charity event to increase awareness of people who have suffered strokes
2000	Head of Lifestyle at lastminute.com
2004	Co-host of the Russell Grant Show on Sky One
2005	Set up Eden Lifestyle PR and events agency and continued to present on Taste, GMTV and CTV in Canada
2006	Merged with Cancan Communications to create EdenCancan
2007	Judge on Project Catwalk
2008	Mentor on Diet On The Dancefloor. EdenCancan nominated for PR Agency Of The Year
2009	Presenter on Market Kitchen & named in the top 100 most influential people in PR and events



THE GREEN GENIE

All your recycling questions answered

Q: I read that garden waste collected from Brown Bins is turned into compost and used on Hackney's green spaces. Where is this done, and can residents get hold of the compost?

A: The fortnightly Brown Bin service collects grass cuttings, hedge clippings, leaves, flowers and twigs. It is delivered to a facility in Edmonton, operated by London Waste Ltd where it is turned into compost.

In the last year, 105 tonnes of compost were used in our parks and green spaces. Compost was also delivered to schools and allotments. The possibility of making more compost available to residents is being investigated. The Council already gives away compost at events throughout the year, so watch these pages for more details. For info visit: www.recyclenow.com/compost To check if the collection service is available to your address, call: 020 8356 6688.



MORE INFO

To ask the Genie a question, which will be answered in Hackney Today, e-mail: recycling@hackney.gov.uk, or write to: **Green Genie, Recycling, Second Floor, 263 Mare Street, E8 3HT**. For more information on recycling in the borough call: 020 8356 6688, or visit: www.hackney.gov.uk/recycling



Have fun at changing time – and save money – by switching to real cloth nappies

Know your nappies

By
Gracia Douglas

NEW and expecting parents can find out how to save money and have some fun at events to mark Real Nappy Week.

It starts on 27 April and aims to interest people who are keen to help protect the environment. Events include a cloth nappy fashion show, where babies can strut their stuff on the catwalk. There

will also be an information stall at Stoke Newington Farmers' Market. People will be encouraged to share their experiences and offer advice to other parents planning to make the switch. Cllr Alan Laing, Cabinet Member for Neighbourhoods, said: "The benefits of using real cloth nappies are huge, not only in terms of reducing the environmental impact, but also with the financial savings that can be made."

It is possible to save around £500 per baby if

parents wash nappies, instead of using disposables. Currently around three per cent of UK waste comes from disposable nappies. To help people get started, the Council offers a £54 subsidy for those who make the change. The money can be used to cover the costs of buying cloth nappies or using a laundering service.

MORE INFO

Call: 020 7324 4709, or visit: www.realnappiesforlondon.org.uk

Events

- 25 April, 10am-2.30pm
Information stall at Stoke Newington Farmers' Market, William Patten School, Stoke Newington Church Street, N16
- 30 April, 10.30am-12noon.
Real nappy fashion show, Islington Ecology Centre, 191 Drayton Park, N5. Free. Booking essential. To book, or volunteer as a model, call Ander on: 020 8356 3806 or e-mail: ander.zabala@hackney.gov.uk

Dredging up the past for a better future

A £2million dredging programme to clean up the River Lee around the Olympic Park has been unveiled.

The Environment Agency and British Waterways have joined forces to tackle the problem of poor water quality on the river, which has been an issue of concern for residents, boaters and other waterway users such as rowers and ramblers.

Up to 16,000m³ of silt will be removed from the river bed, along a 7km stretch from Tottenham Lock downstream to Old Ford Lock.

Dave Wardle, from the Environment Agency, explains: "Historically the river has suffered from years of abuse. Riverside industries discharged unwanted waste into the waterway. Homes were

built in the area with misconnected pipes, and fly-tipping and general littering have been commonplace.

"These combined actions have resulted in a build-up of silt and obstructions in the river, which must now be cleared as part of a wider programme of improvements."

The 2012 Olympic and Paralympic Games have provided a catalyst to clean

up the river. Mark Hunter, Rower and Olympic gold medallist, said: "As a youngster growing up in East London, getting out on the water inspired me to become a rower, and improving water quality on the River Lee Navigation will help young athletes."

British Waterways' ecologist, Leela O'Dea, added: "Dredging will help to gradually improve the



Dredging on the River Lee

quality of the river, which will encourage wildlife to return to the area."

For more info, visit: www.britishwaterways.co.uk/london



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Time to save our sparrows

By **Jane Young**

THE Cockney Sparrow is under threat according to the latest survey of birdlife in the borough.

Results from the RSPB's Big Garden Birdwatch

found that on the whole, Hackney's feathered friends are doing well, but numbers of house sparrows are dropping.

They still feature in the top three most common birds seen in our gardens, along with wood pigeons

and blue tits, but the long-term trend shows the sparrow population is in steady decline.

As a result of the January survey findings, the RSPB is urging everyone to do their bit to help save the sparrows.

Spokesman, Tim Webb, said: "Hackney residents have helped make this year's Big Garden Birdwatch the best ever. The results they send us help tell how Hackney's environment is faring. It's OK, but it could be better, especially for sparrows.

"We've got researchers working on the problem, but Hackney's gardens and open spaces could be part of the answer.

"Gardens make up about 22 per cent of the borough. Imagine what a difference it could make to wildlife if all that was managed to ease the impact of climate change. Birds are great indicators of the state of the world around us. If they're suffering, we should take notice."

Big Garden Birdwatch co-ordinator, Sarah Kelly, added: "Gardens are crucial for urban birds and as more people realise the importance of feeding and gardening for wildlife we are seeing an increasing variety of birds on our tables and feeders.

"This year's survey took place on a chilly weekend, emphasising the need to

"Birds are great indicators of the state of the world around us. If they're suffering, we should take notice"

supplement bird's natural diets. The changeable conditions predicted as a result of climate change means they will need our help more than ever."

The RSPB runs a free advice service offering tips on using gardens to support wildlife, and lessen the impact of climate change. Register your details online at: www.rspb.org.uk/hfw



A bird bath is just one way to make your garden a haven for sparrows





Green Champions

The Green Champions are a network of green thinking Hackney residents who encourage friends, family, colleagues and neighbours to reduce, reuse and recycle the waste they produce. As well as hearing about the latest initiatives the Recycling Team plan to introduce and receiving feedback at monthly meetings, members are also encouraged to get involved in any community events. This could include being involved in the planning for the event or running a stall to talk to residents about being more green!

To join, call the Recycling Hotline on 020 8356 6688 or for more information and to check out profiles of active Green Champions, go to www.hackney.gov.uk/green_champions.htm


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PAGE**Cooking up
some culinary
treats**education**

Future chef in the making

A TEENAGER from Hackney beat stiff competition from the next generation of top chefs to reach a national final.

Zhane Gordon, 14, from the Petchey Academy, came third in the FutureChef 09 competition after impressing celebrity judges with her magnificent meal.

Finalists had just 90 minutes to prepare two courses. Zhane's mouth-watering menu consisted of loin of lamb cooked 'en papillote', fondant potato, creamed savoy cabbage, in a red wine and mushroom sauce, followed by orange syllabub with dark chocolate caramelised orange.

The judges, including Brian Turner, Lesley Waters, Theo Randall and Michael Caines, were impressed by the high standards.

Lesley Waters said: "It was so wonderful to see the quality of skills and the way in which they were applied, and also that 70 per cent of finalists were young



Cookery star Zhane Gordon

ladies."

Zhane was one of 12 finalists competing for victory at Westminster Kingsway College in London on 23 March. Over 7,000 young people, aged 12-16, took part in local and regional heats to reach the national final.

Zhane's prize, donated by Aramark, includes a tour of the food operations at the BBC and a food development experience at their City Innovation Centre.



Peter Weeden passes on some foodie knowledge to Nightingale pupils

Tots take taste test

All stories by
**Lorraine
Hammond**



CHILDREN from Nightingale Primary School in Clapton had their taste buds tickled last week by top chef Peter Weeden.

The head chef from Paternoster Chop House in St Paul's visited the school

to help youngsters explore the way their five senses work. They were offered a range of foods to see if they could tell the difference between salty, sweet, sour and bitter tastes.

Before heading back to the City, Peter said: "I have three children of my own and food is a passion, so anything I can do to promote good eating I will."

The visit was part of the Work Week programme organised by Inspire! – the education business partnership for Hackney.

Sessions have been held at local primary schools and nurseries across the borough, so youngsters can sample different foods and learn what being a chef is about.

Other big name chefs to support the programme

"I have three children of my own and food is a passion"

include Mickael Weiss, head chef of Coq d'Argent and Alan Marchetti of Sartoria, which recently featured on Master Chef.

Message to the world

PUPILS at a Hackney school had their chance to get involved in an international campaign that calls attention to the plight of the world's poorest children.

As part of the Save The Children 'Children's Charter', youngsters from Shacklewell Primary School, E8, were asked to create statements in response to the question 'what should every child in

the world have?'

They produced a series of artwork and plays, which were recorded and edited together to make a film that puts forward young people's ideas for change and improvement in the world.

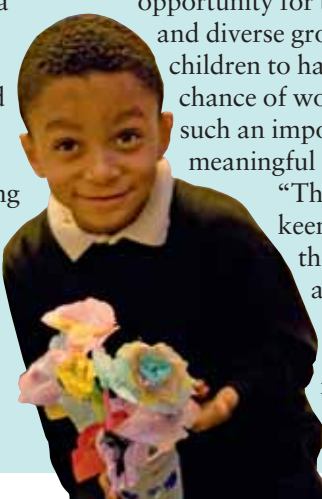
School drama therapist, Jodie Cariss, said: "It's

such a wonderful opportunity for this lovely and diverse group of children to have the chance of working on such an important and meaningful project.

"They are very keen to share their views and this has given them real focus and incentive.

Keeping kids engaged with global situations involving children is fundamentally important for the future and their voice is refreshing and honest."

Save the Children's Head of Communications, Joe Barrell, said: "We want as many young people as possible to follow the pupils at Shacklewell Primary's fantastic example by adding their voice to our campaign."



Shacklewell pupils ponder some big questions

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TOP FIVE

There's so much to do in and around Hackney. From theatre to club nights, art exhibitions to community events. Here's our pick of what's on this fortnight:

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International flags made out of dried foodstuffs

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HAT-MAKING DEMO

Hat designer offers an introduction to his make-your-own workshops

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Brush off your tutu and get back on your points

► See Health, Fitness & Sport

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Make your own ears and have your face painted to complete the look

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Performance poets do their stuff to an improvised soundtrack

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PREVIEW

MONSTERS INKED

Until 4 May. Get inside the minds of the gods of monsters, with over 100 images on show. This exhibition explores the artist's development of a monster from the sketch pad to gallery – and where these monsters come from.

Idea Generation Gallery, 11 Chance St, E2.
Info: 020 7749 6855; www.ideageneration.co.uk

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ART & EXHIBITIONS

ART IN MIND

2-13 Apr, 1-6pm. Features a mix of urban, street, graphic and contemporary artists. The Bricklane Gallery, 196 Brick Ln, E1. **Info:** info@thebricklanegallery.com; www.thebricklanegallery.com

SKART: ON THE ORIGIN OF WISHES

4 Apr-22 May. Mon-Fri, 10-5pm; Sat, 12-4pm. First retrospective exhibition in the UK for Belgrade-based art activist group kart, whose practice over the past 20 years has employed an eclectic range of media including graphic design, poetry, video, embroidery and book making. 129-131 Mare St, E8. Free. **Info:** 020 8525 4330; exhibitions@spacestudios.org.uk

www.spacestudios.org.uk

EXPLORING OUR FOOD THROUGH ART

18 Apr, 12-4pm. 24 international flag artworks will be created live on Gillett Square using dried foodstuffs from Ridley Rd Market and local shops, showcasing the work of young people aged 3-12 from the Bathouse Children's Community Centre. Gillett Sq, Dalston, N16. Free. **Info:** 020 7993 3644; emmajones@hced.co.uk; www.gillettsquare.org.uk

LOCK AND KEY

Until 19 Apr. Photographic exhibition, refreshments available. 122-124, Lower Clapton Rd, E5. Free. **Info:** 020 8985 3902; ruth.gray@salvationarmy.org.uk; www.salvationarmy.org.uk/clapton

LIMINAL: A QUESTION OF POSITION

Until 25 April. Over 20 artists

have come together to investigate what it means to live in a city – the urban hub where culture, society and beliefs collide. Using digital media to explore our contemporary urban experience and question the way in which we position ourselves within the city, both physically and culturally. Rivington Place, EC2.

Info: 020 7729 9616; info@iniva.org; www.iniva.org

PLEASE REMAIN CALM

Until 26 April, Wed-Sun, 6-9pm, by appt. Deconstructing and slicing an object into minute shards to then re-organise and re-construct it according to arbitrary codes.

From newspapers to product boxes, the artist turns a neutral vehicle for a message into an object to be considered. Free. Nettie Horn, 25b Vyner St, E2. **Info/to book:** 020 8980 1568; info@nettiehorn.com

LANDSCAPE ESCAPES

2-30 April. Local oil painter exhibits in the basement at Pages bookshop. Private view on

2 April.

Info: 020 8525 1452; eleanor@pagesofhackney.co.uk; www.pagesofhackney.co.uk



CINEMA

RICH MIX

The Boat That Rocked (15); Religulous (15); Burning An Illusion, 7 Apr. Alexis – She's My Brother, 9 Apr. Rich Mix, Bethnal Green Rd, E1.

Info: www.richmix.org.uk

RIO

In the City of Sylvia (PG); Bolt (PG) 2.00 D; Let the Right One In (15). 107 Kingsland High St, E8. **Info/more films:** 020 7241 9410; www.riocinema.org.uk

ODEON LEE VALLEY

Fast and Furious (TBC); 17 Again (12A); Race to Witch Mountain (PG). Picketts Lock

Ln, Edmonton, N9. **Info:** www.odeon.co.uk

VUE

17 Again (12A); Dragonball Evolution (PG); Tera Mera Ki Rishta. 36 Parkfield St, N1. **Info/more films:** 08712 240 240; www.myvue.com



COURSES

HAT-MAKING DEMO & STALL

11 Apr, 10am-2.30pm. Designer Andrew McDonald will give a hat-making demonstration at the Stoke Newington Farmers Market as an introduction to his hat-making workshops. Get inspired to make your own Easter bonnet. William Patten School, Stoke Newington Church St, N16. **Info:** grow.comm@growingcommunities.org; www.growingcommunities.org

STA BIKES

16 Apr 11-2pm. Fun cycling event. Dr Bike service for sick bicycles, cycle training, and publicity and info about cycling in Hackney. Wilton Estate, Wilton Way, E8. Free. **Info:** 020 7923 8362; gail@stabikes.org.uk

EMPOWERING MINORTIES IN BUSINESS

28 May, 10am-4.30pm. Exhibition of local business products, services and ideas from minority communities to help empower and economically motivate. A chance for local businesses to come together with larger organisations including representatives from the 2012 Olympics. Speakers & workshops. Register online for workshop. 270 Ocean Music Venue, Mare St, E8. **Info:** 07951 735 577; roxanne@therdhexperience.co.uk; www.therdhexperience.co.uk

CLASSICAL PIANO LESSONS

Classical piano lessons by professional pianist specialising in children and beginners, also good for preparing students for ABRSM exams. Mare St/flexible. Unit 7, 14-18 Shore Busin, Shore Rd, E9. **Info:** 07825 586 984



Learn to make your own hat

THE STORY OF HACKNEY HEALTHCARE

Until 30 Sept. From Fever to Consumption: the Hackney Society is co-ordinating an oral history project about the Mothers', St Leonard's and Hackney hospitals, and the John Scott Health Centre in N4. Organisers would like to hear from staff and/or former patients with a story to tell. The Round Chapel, 1D Glenarm Rd, E5. **Info:** 020 8806 4003; lisa@hackneysociety.org; www.hackneybuildings.org.uk/health

ROVING CHEF

Cook dishes that you want to learn, in your own home, and at a time to suit you. From traditional British dishes to simple French and Italian meals. **Info:** 07768 901 550; enquiries@rovingchef.net; www.rovingchef.net



Keep fit with a ballet class



HEALTH, FITNESS & SPORT

ADULT BALLET COURSE

20 Apr-13 Jul (no class half-term 25 May). A 12-week course open to all adults with little or no experience in ballet, or for those wishing to start afresh. Designed to encourage confidence and a sense of

Competitions



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Dark comedy

ESTRANGED is a new, darkly comic family drama by Jason Charles. Sam is due to marry Sylvia in three days time. Behind his overbearing mother's back he has traced Lydia and Justin, his disowned aunt and cousin, and invited them to stay until the wedding. Is this just for his mother to make peace with her provocative sister before the big day? Or does Sam want his cousin to take him back into the forbidden world they entered in their teens? And precious Sylvia and best man Martin have a shady past all of their own. Estranged is at the Courtyard Theatre, 40 Pitfield Street, N1, from 7 April-3 May, Tue-Sun, 7.45pm. For info visit: www.thecourtyard.org.uk; or call: 0870 163 0717. Hackney Today has five pairs of tickets to give away. Just send your name, address and phone number to: **Hackney Today, Communications, 2 Hillman Street, E8 1 FB; or e-mail:** htnews@hackney.gov.uk by 12noon on 17 April.

East end knees-up

LAND OF KINGS is a brand new music and arts festival taking place on 16 & 17 April. Based on the Dalston/Stoke Newington border, the festival connects a selection of hand-picked venues with some of the area's finest artists, DJs, promoters and labels. Theatres, basement bars, clubs and forgotten pubs, cafes and warehouse spaces will host over a kilometre of locally-sourced festival fun and provide the backdrop for a good old East End knees up. The line-up spans afro to disco, gypsy punk to electro, jazz fusion to techno; proof, if it were needed, just how much variety abounds in the area. For more information including tickets and latest line-up visit: www.landofkings.co.uk Hackney Today has two pairs of tickets to Land of Kings to give away. Just send your name, address and phone number to: **Hackney Today, Communications, 2 Hillman Street, E8 1FB; or e-mail:** htnews@hackney.gov.uk by 12noon on 14 April.

achievement in an enjoyable atmosphere.
Unit 4/231, Stoke Newington Church St, N16.
Info: 07956 260 108;
mail@balletforyou.co.uk;
www.balletforyou.co.uk

CAPOEIRA ANGOLA

Every Mon and Wed, 7-9pm. Open beginners & mixed classes, Brazilian master visits once a year to meet new students. No need to book. Geffrye Community Centre, Falkirk St, N1. £6 a lesson, £15 yearly membership.
Info: 07779 031 273;
fantasma35@hotmail.com;
www.capeira-angola.co.uk

POLE & DANCE CLASSES

Every Tues & Thurs, 7-8.15pm & 8.15-9.30pm; Sat, 10.45-12noon. Bored of the gym? Get fit and have fun in dance and pole classes. Classes are small to give individual attention. All shapes and sizes welcome. 60-64 Kingsland Rd, E2.
Info/to book (must book to attend): 07912 342 936;
anna@balesque.com;
www.balesque.com

CORRECTIVE PILATES

Every Wed, 11.45am-12.45pm. Strengthen, balance, and restore proper function, and good health to your body, through exercises designed to improve movement, breathing, and everyday posture. Holistic Health, 64 Broadway Mkt. E8. £9/Concs.
Info: 07950 800 854;
info@sportingtherapy.co.uk

SALSA CLASSES

Every Thurs, 8pm. Learn salsa, no partner required. Wear smart comfortable clothes and shoes that support your ankles. No booking required unless group of over 10 people. Dem Café, Stoke Newington High St. £5pp.
Info: 07939 272 732;
rayn189@aol.com;
www.seraphimdance.co.uk

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Every Fri, 2.20-5.30pm. Clinic now open to all women for half the price of private treatment. Acupuncture can be useful for many conditions including back, neck, shoulder pain, headaches, migraines, digestive disorders, menstrual problems and

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Info: 07939 533 239;
dianetimewell@yahoo.co.uk;
www.dianetimewell.co.uk

FOOTBALL

Every Sat, 11am-1pm. Kingsmead Community Sports Club. Football sessions for beginners to club players run by UEFA B coaches and school employed coaches. Fitness, drills and games. Mabley Green, Marsh Hill, E9. £2.
Info: 07904 849 940
kingsmeadcsc@fsmail.net



YOUNG PEOPLE

EASTER HOLIDAY PLAY SCHEME

Until 17 April, 9am-6pm. Easter play scheme activities include arts, crafts & creativity, outdoor games & sports, woodwork & den building, cooking, gardening, adventure play structures including zip line. For 5-11 yrs. £9 per day (£8 siblings) / £5 (£4.50 siblings) income support St John the Baptist School, N1. **Info/to book: 020 8820 7199;**
clea.sambrook@learningtrust.co.uk; www.learningtrust.co.uk/childcare/information_for_parents/finding_childcare.aspx

SPARKY THE ROBOT

9 Apr, 12-4pm; shows 12noon, 2pm, 4pm. Meet Sparky the Robot who is made completely out of recycled materials - some components bear an uncanny resemblance to familiar household objects. Careful you might get squirted with water. Kingsland Shopping Centre, Kingsland High St, E8.
Info: 07957 962 398;
elaineemerson@yahoo.co.uk

EASTER BUNNY TRANSFORMATION WORKSHOP

10 Apr, 12-4pm. Make your own bunny ears and have



your face painted to complete the look. Kingsland Shopping Centre, Kingsland High St, E8.
Info: 07957 962 398;
elaineemerson@yahoo.co.uk

TWINS CLUB

Every Mon, 10-12noon. If you're expecting, or are a parent or carer of twins or more, join the club. While babies and toddlers play, parents share the trials and tribulations of looking after multiples. Friendly and informal way of getting local support and advice. Refreshments. £2 per family. Our Lady of Good Counsel Parish Hall, Bouverie Rd, N16.
Info: www.twinsclubn16.com

AIR TRAINING CORPS

Every Mon & Thurs 7-9.15pm. Develop leadership qualities and foster the spirit of adventure. Train in flying, gliding, radio communication, first aid, sports and other skills. Opportunity to achieve Duke of Edinburgh's award. 82 Albion Rd, Stoke Newington. **Info: 020 7923 0194; e-mail: 296SqnATC@blueyonder.co.uk**

KIDS YOGA

Every Tues (except 24 March) until 28 April, 5.30-6pm, for 5-7yrs; 6-6.30pm, 8-12yrs. Go on an adventure with yoga postures, stories, music and games. Free. Carole Young Community Centre, Cranston Estate, N1.
Info: 07962 993 966;
patriciaolabre@yahoo.com

KIDS SHOTOKAN KARATE

Every Thurs, 4.30-5.30pm. Shotokan karate class for children aged 5yrs+, especially for beginners. £5. Abney Hall, Stoke Newington Church St.
Info: 07905 614 256

YOUNG & TALENTED

Every Sat, term time, 10.30am-1.30pm. Performing arts for 6-16 yrs. Become the best performer you can be, training with professionals. £144 per term. Oh! Art, Oxford House, Bethnal Green.
Info/to book: www.youngandtalented.co.uk



PEACOCK THEORY

First Fri of every month, 9pm-5am. A hybrid of electronic music and contemporary art,



REVIEW

By **Beccy Smart**

Born in the East, Hackney Empire, Marie Lloyd Bar, E8, until 14 April

QUIETLY cool, the upper gallery of the Marie Lloyd bar is the perfect place for Polish illustrator, Michal Konstantynowicz's solo show, being the local centre of his inspiration. Born in the East is a collection of stark, highly detailed ink illustrations, which draw on many aspects of East London. Large and black and white, they are sensitively rugged, reinforcing the edginess of the east. Familiar Hackney sights jump out at you, from the number 38 bus, to the front of the Empire. Yet the more you look, the more you see, with little ghouls peeping out of bus windows, and sitting formally in the theatre.



Why is this, you wonder? Is it the ghost of the Hackney Empire? This quirk gives the images a comedy foreboding and seems to set Michal's signature style; keeping it real, with a sense of humour.

An impressive caricature of Sid Vicious sits alongside the everyday image of a leering Staffordshire bull terrier and young owner. Turning this look into art is clever; illustrator-journalism. Even the bar manager of the Marie Lloyd is featured in his own caricature, as relevant as the actors also pictured. Michal creatively construes the 'everyday', and shows we can get pleasure in seeing it reflected in ink. If this is the first time you have seen Michal's work, you'll be sure to always recognise it afterwards. For further details visit: www.hackneyempire.co.uk

plus live visuals, with a portion of the proceeds going to a chosen charity. The best in up-and-coming DJs and producers playing electro, breaks, dubstep, tech house and nu-disco. Free before 10pm, £5 after. The Edinburgh Cellars, 125 Newington Green Rd, N1.
Info: 07903 046 340; peacocktheory@hotmail.co.uk; www.myspace.com/whatis thepeacocktheory

MUCHA MARCHA AND SMIGUS DYNGUS

12 Apr, 7pm-3am. Massive national water fight, Mucha Marcha will be supplying buckets of water, beakers. Italo-Disco from Heartbreak and the CocaDisco DJs, tropical jungle punk from Dead Kids and pink powerpop flavoured electronic hip-pop weirdbeat experiments from Rowdy Superstar. Hoxton Bar Music Hall, 134-136 Curtain Rd, EC2. £5 before 10.30. **Info: 07958 373 789;**

info@muchamarcha.co.uk;
www.myspace.com/muchamarcha

COAST TO COAST

Every Sat. DJ Cello and guests play ska, reggae, soul, funk, boogaloo and northern soul. On The Rocks, Kingsland Rd, Shoreditch, E2. £3-5.
Info: mailinglist@coasttocoast.org.uk; www.coasttocoast.org.uk

BIRD ON THE WIRE FESTIVAL

10-12 Apr, 7pm-3am. Bands and DJs, incl My Latest Novel, and Django Django. Bardens Boudoir, 136 Stoke Newington Rd, N16. £8 day / £17 three days. **Info: www.bardensboudoir.co.uk**

BEARDYMAN - BATTLEJAM

10 Apr, 6pm-3am. Beadyman and his notorious beatboxing mouth, no one knows what's going to happen until it does at Battlejam, not even the performers

themselves. Cargo, 83 Rivington St, EC2. Free. **Info: www.cargo-london.com/event/free-friday-battlejam1**



FAMILY ATLANTICA

4 Apr, 7.30-10pm. Renowned vocalist and cuatro player Luzmira Zerpa leads her ensemble blending traditional Venezuelan songs with explosive Afro-Latin percussion, flute and electric guitar. A fresh perspective on the folk traditions of Venezuela. Bar afterwards. St Peters Church, De Beauvoir Road, N1.
Info: 020 7684 5811;
info@debeauvoir.org.uk;
www.debeauvoir.org.uk

CAT'S CRADLE

7-25 Apr, 8-10pm. The atom

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REVIEW

By Paul Knipe

Le Corbusier: The Art of Architecture, Barbican until 24 May

WHO was Le Corbusier, really? More than 40 years after his death, Le Corbusier is a household name.

Arguably the most influential architect of the 20th Century, he was the man who gave us the principles of a style of urban planning that has spawned countless imitations around the world. He was the father of modern architecture.

But behind the fame and the never ending consumption was a quiet, private man; an innovator in a number of different disciplines, whose prolific output was dedicated to reinventing modern living.

The Barbican's exhibition Le Corbusier: the art of architecture displays materials and artefacts

from all aspects of his life to paint a good picture of who Le Corbusier really was. In the process it highlights areas of his work that are quite unexpected.

Did you know that he had a go at designing cars and luggage? That he was a painter of some merit? Or that he published several books during his life?

The exhibition also shows how his architecture changed as he matured: his late buildings are lyrical and organic, not the uniform precision we tend to associate with modernism.

The vivid contrasts between his famous Ronchamp chapel and Villa Savoye from 20 years before reflect this.

What the Barbican has achieved with this exhibition is to condense Le Corbusier's many attributes into a thematic and intimate spectacle.

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REVIEW

By Paul Knipe

Le Corbusier: The Art of Architecture, Barbican until 24 May

WHO was Le Corbusier, really? More than 40 years after his death, Le Corbusier is a household name.

Arguably the most influential architect of the 20th Century, he was the man who gave us the principles of a style of urban planning that has spawned countless imitations around the world. He was the father of modern architecture.

But behind the fame and the never ending consumption was a quiet, private man; an innovator in a number of different disciplines, whose prolific output was dedicated to reinventing modern living.

The Barbican's exhibition Le Corbusier: the art of architecture displays materials and artefacts

from all aspects of his life to paint a good picture of who Le Corbusier really was. In the process it highlights areas of his work that are quite unexpected.

Did you know that he had a go at designing cars and luggage? That he was a painter of some merit? Or that he published several books during his life?

The exhibition also shows how his architecture changed as he matured: his late buildings are lyrical and organic, not the uniform precision we tend to associate with modernism.

The vivid contrasts between his famous Ronchamp chapel and Villa Savoye from 20 years before reflect this.

What the Barbican has achieved with this exhibition is to condense Le Corbusier's many attributes into a thematic and intimate spectacle.

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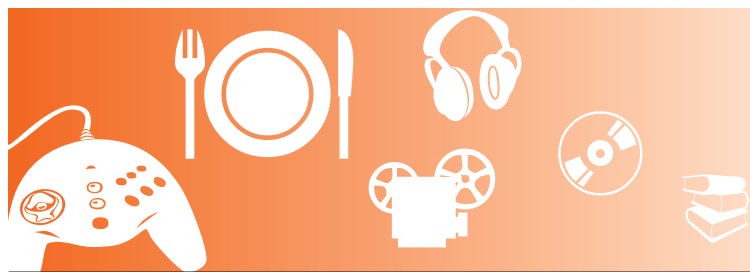
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Discovering talent: finale

By **Ola Adeniran, 13,**
Jamila Sami-Ludlam, 15 and
Rebecca Dixon, 15

AFTER enjoying the opening event of this year's Discover Young Hackney 09 (DYH09) festival, Headliners reporters thought it would be fun to go to the closing showcase as well.

DHY09 was a two-month long festival in which local arts and cultural organisations gave young people in Hackney the chance to explore their creative talents through workshops and events. We



decided to attend the festival's closing evening to find out what young people had achieved through DYH09.

From the little we

saw, the ending of DYH09 was okay. When everyone had settled down after talking to people in the foyer who were promoting Olympic sports, the event was opened up by Choice FM presenter and local celebrity, Kat B. We all had different views on his opening presentation. Some thought he was funny and able to relate with both the teenage and adult crowd, but others thought he was praising himself and his success too much.

The disability-led Graeae Theatre group then

showcased one of their productions. How did this relate to the DYH09 celebrations we wondered? (The finale was interpreted via British Sign Language in keeping with the festival's commitment to inclusivity.)

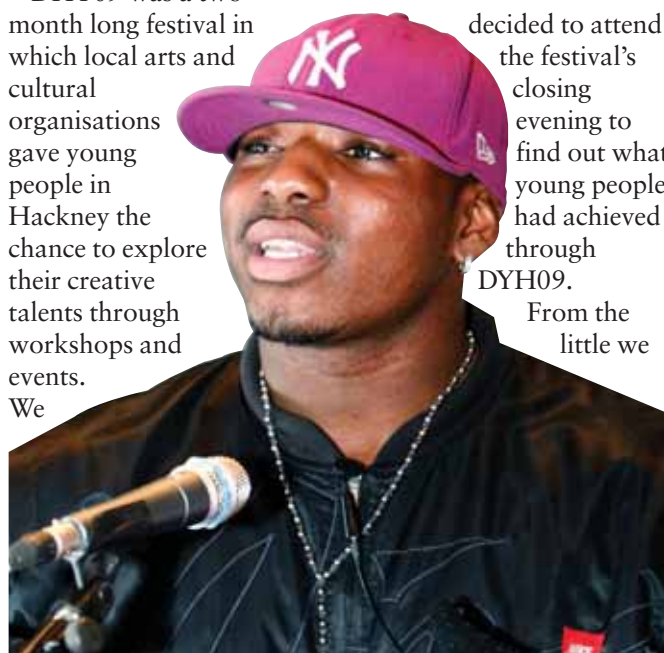
We found the young people's speeches about their experiences of the festival intriguing as they gave insights into the

advantages of the project.

Overall, it was good to see how young people in Hackney had benefited from the project. It was also good to see that young people in Hackney are not always how the media portrays them.



Clockwise from left: Performers from disability-led theatre company Graeae; young speakers at the event; presenter Kat B; and Immediate Theatre trainee drama worker Justin Roberts



My opinion

Funky bins for recycling make a real difference

By **Gloire Ammany, 19**

FROM my own experience, recycling in Hackney is on the right track.

Statistics on the Council's website show that 24 per cent of all Hackney's waste was recycled last year. So far, for me, recycling schemes have been a success – the collections are always on time and the collectors always put your Green Box back in front of your door. There are also a range of recycling bins on streets and estates, some of which even look like cows.

Recycling has now become a habit for me because it is quick and easy and free of charge.

If we recycle more and encourage family and relatives to recycle more, we can help Hackney

achieve its targets. Statistics suggest that up to 60 per cent of rubbish that ends up in an average

household bin could be recycled.

I think that it would be right to fine residents who do not use the Green Box collection scheme, as this would encourage more people to contribute and it would help to counter climate change. Citizens should support the Government, instead of blaming

them. How can we blame them if we ourselves aren't doing anything?



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Millfields Recreation Ground is changing.

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Carers take the opportunity to share experiences and learn about the support available to them

Share the care

By **James Willsher**

CARERS in the borough got together for an annual event devoted to them at the Town Hall.



More than 100 people attended the 2009 Carers Conference to take part in workshops, find out about services available, and share their experience of looking after someone.

The theme of this year's conference, on 17 March, was partnership, and the event explored how the Council, NHS, voluntary sector and other partners can improve how they work with carers.

The event was also a chance to promote a new service, Homeshare Day Care. It allows carers time to relax while the people they care for are looked after in the homes of volunteers.

Carers provide unpaid

help to a friend, relative or neighbour.

The Council provides a range of support services for them, including a free two-day retreat; training courses; support accessing work and education; and an emergency home respite service.

A Carers Card also offers them concessionary rates at Council leisure centres, and discounts at local shops.

Cllr Nargis Khan, Cabinet Member for Community Services, said: "I'm pleased that so many carers came to the conference to find out more about the range of services that are available to them."

"The Council is committed

to improving services for carers, and to valuing their important role."

MORE INFO

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Pioneering service

By **Sylvia Arthur**

A **PIONEERING** new service to support people with mental health problems has been launched.

The aim is to help patients understand the way the Mental Health Act applies to them, and what can and cannot be done as a result.

The charity City and Hackney Mind will offer the support of an Independent Mental Health Advocate (IMHA) to all qualifying patients.

IMHAs will also help patients understand their rights under the Act, and support them in exercising those rights.

An event to launch the service was organised by the E9 charity, with help from the NHS City and Hackney and the East London NHS Foundation on 27

March. The purpose was to educate and inform both users and staff from the NHS, and voluntary and community sectors about the consequences of the legislation.

It was attended by a number of London-based charities including St Mungo's, the Vietnamese Service and Jewish Care and featured speakers from a number of organisations, including the local NHS.

The Independent Mental Health Advocacy Service was created in response to an amendment to the Government's Mental Health Act, which came into effect in 2007.

Meg Hillier, MP for Hackney South & Shoreditch played a key role in ensuring the right to advocacy was included in the Act.



An information stand at the IMHA launch event last month



One stop shop for children's service wins award

A **HACKNEY** children's service has won a national award.

The multi-agency work carried out by the Hackney Ark was recognised at this year's LIFT Awards – an NHS programme that invests in community-based health and social care. The Ark offers health, education and social care services

under one roof for children across east London for the first time.

Jacqui Harvey, chief executive of NHS City and Hackney, welcomed the award win, saying: "The Ark is a state-of-the-art care facility for children with complex needs. Children are provided with the latest in treatment and care in

purpose-built therapy rooms with outdoor play space.

"This investment is a further sign of our continued commitment to modernise the infrastructure of local health and social care services for residents."

Cllr Rita Krishna, Cabinet Member for Children's Services, added: "The Ark is a fine example of our strong

partnership and demonstrates how we are bringing services together to keep the needs of the child to the fore."

Hackney Ark opened in Downs Park Road, E8, last March and provides a single point of access for specialist children's services in Hackney. For more info call: 020 7014 7000.


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Tower power

By **Sally England,**
Local Studies Librarian

St Augustine's Tower in the Narrow Way is Hackney's oldest building, dating back to the 13th Century, and even features in the borough's coat of arms.

The Grade 1 listed tower is all that remains of a medieval parish church dedicated to St Augustine of Hippo, whose teachings were important to the Order of the Knights Templar. The Order owned a lot of land in the area and possibly donated the site.

When the Order was suppressed in 1308, its lands passed to the Knights Hospitaller, whose patron saint was John the Baptist. The name of the church changed too, although St John-at-Hackney did not become official until the 17th Century.

Hackney was a small village when the church was built. One of the earliest surveys of Hackney's buildings is Roger Root's 1741 plan of the church, churchyard and surrounding buildings. The plan was bought by the Archives in 1986, but its origins remain a mystery.

Over the years as the population grew, the church was extended to hold a

much larger congregation. By 1789 it could seat 1,000 people, but there still wasn't enough room, and the following year an Act of Parliament was passed to increase the church rate – a way of raising money for a bigger building.

In 1791, construction started and by 1797 demolition of the old church had begun, but the tower remained. The bells moved to their present home in 1854, after a new tower had been strengthened by underpinning, but the old tower kept its late 16th or early 17th Century clock. It was wound manually for over 400 years until an automated system was introduced recently.

St Augustine's tower was not always as prized however, and has been used for many different purposes, including a mortuary and a tool shed.

In the 1870s urinals were built alongside it and in the 1880s 'that interesting Parochial Relic known as the Old Church Tower' as a report of the time described it, was again threatened with demolition. The tower was

spared, although not the urinals. In 1929, the Metropolitan Borough Council of Hackney bought the building from the Church of England. In 1983 renovation work took place as part of the Urban Programme Environment Project's Facelift scheme.

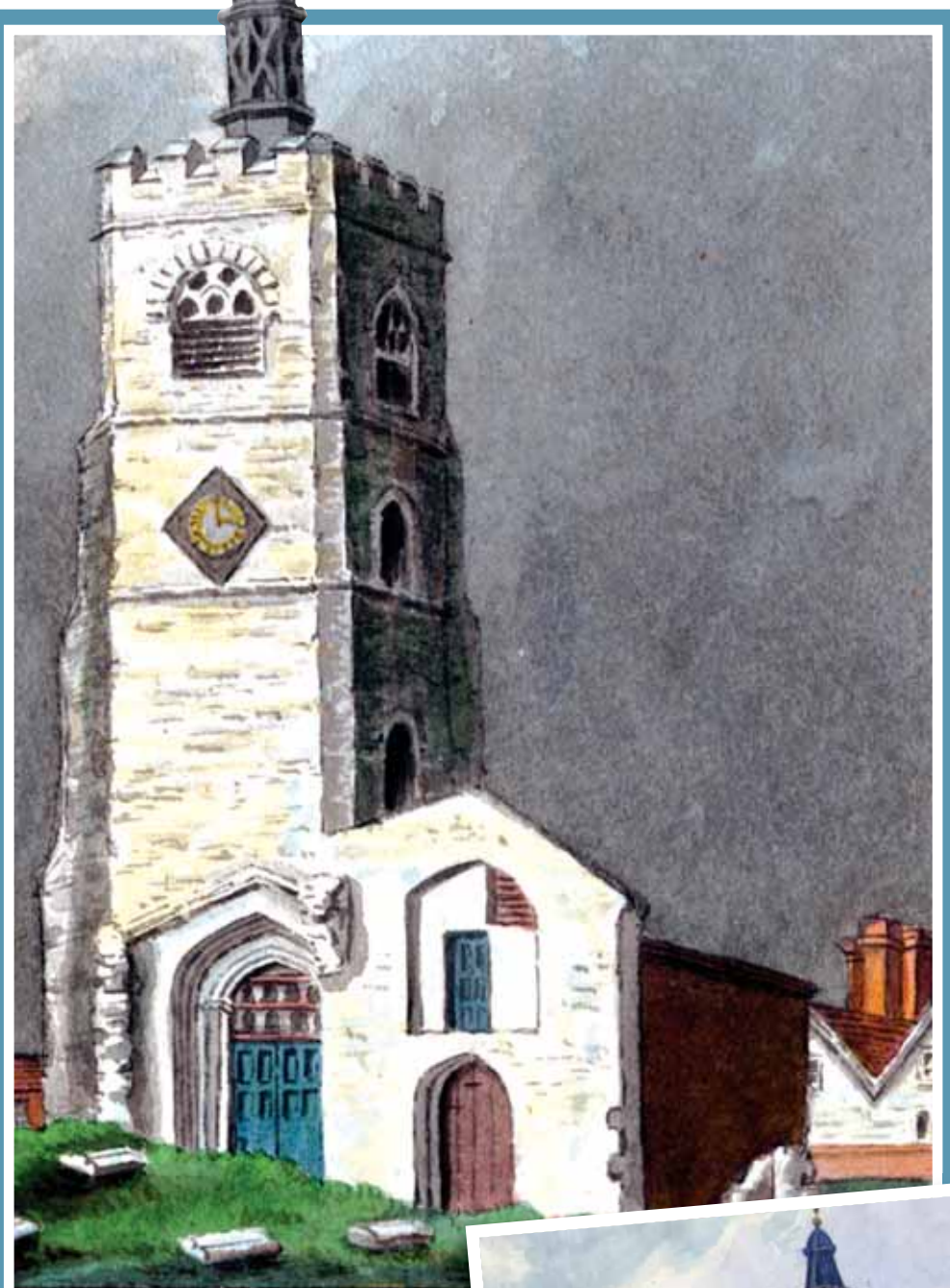
In 1990, the tower passed into the care of the Hackney Historic Buildings Trust and with funding from the Council, Heritage of London Trust, and the European Commission, the building has been restored and the clock repaired.

The Heritage Lottery Fund and the Council funded more restoration works in 2005 which have allowed the tower to open to the public on the last Sunday of each month. It is possible to climb a winding narrow staircase to the roof and enjoy a spectacular panoramic view not only of Hackney and beyond, but also of the splendid Church Gardens which were last year awarded both a prestigious Green Flag and Green Flag Heritage status.

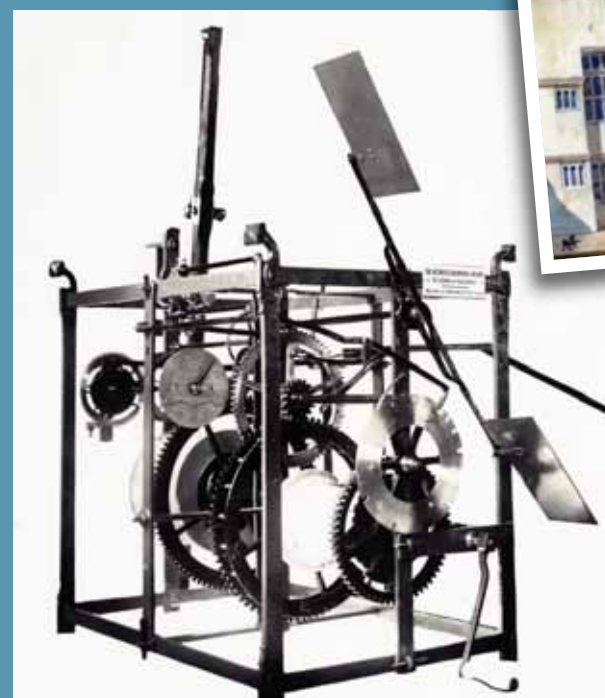
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Clockwise from above: watercolour of St Augustine's tower, c1799; rear view of the Black and White House showing the tower and part of the church's south wall, attributed to T. Fisher, c1790; coloured print looking north up Mare Street, 1805; clock mechanism; Roger Root's 1741 plan; old tower clock face



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WE HAVE LIMITED FUNDS FOR THIS SCHEME AND ACCEPTANCE WILL BE ON A FIRST COME FIRST SERVED BASIS.

**For further information please contact the Lettings Team on:
Tel: 020 8356 5751**





Fashion comes in cycles

Two Hackney designers' range of hip cycle clothing and accessories have been picked up by the world's largest fashion store

All stories by
Gabriel Harriss



Two Hackney designers' range of cycle clothing and accessories go on sale in the world's largest fashion store this week.

Stylish new company Cyclodelic is set to unveil its collection at Topshop's flagship Oxford Street store on 9 April.

The clothes have been designed and handmade by two keen female cyclists in

their Hackney studio, who believe women don't have to forfeit fashion for function.

“It will be fantastic to see our designs displayed next to Kate Moss's collection”

The company was founded by London College of Fashion student

Amy, along with textile graduate and ex-courier Sarah Buck, with the intention of putting some fun and style back into functional cycle wear.

With prices starting from £10, Cyclodelic products are filled with useful features, from waterproofing to reflective seams, and although colourful, they prove that cyclists don't always have to always reach for fluorescents when hitting the road.

Amy Fleuriot, of Cyclodelic, said: “I am very

excited about launching our new range and bringing our cycling chic to what is the world's largest fashion store.

“Cyclodelic has previously taken part in London Fashion Week, but it will be even more fantastic to see our designs displayed next to Kate Moss's collection and bring our take on cycling cool to a new audience.”

MORE INFO

To find out more: visit:
www.amy-fleuriot.com/site

NEWS IN BRIEF



Down on the farm

CYCLISTS of all ages are invited down to Hackney City Farm for Bikeday 2009 on 19 April.

The day celebrates everything about bikes from grass track racing to taster proficiency lessons to a bike jumble sale. There will also be a pedal powered sound system, a

bike fancy dress parade and much more.

The farm, in Goldsmiths Row, is home to Dr Bike – a cycling group which teaches people to do bike repairs – and members will be on hand to give their expert advice. The event, which runs from 12noon to 4pm, is part of the farm's Big Green Challenge activities and hopes to convert yet more people to the joys of two wheels. To find out more, call: **020 7729 6381**, or go to www.hackneycityfarm.co.uk

Keep safe

HACKNEY'S teenagers are being warned to look after their mates in a stark new road safety campaign.

Transport for London (TfL) has launched its latest advertising campaign with a 'don't let your friendship die on the road' theme, based on research that shows young people are motivated by loyalty to their friends.

Posters show actors who appear to be leaning against a wall, however a second glance reveals them to be actually lying on the road after a collision. Teenagers are more likely to be involved in an accident than any other age group, so posters will be placed close to schools.

Chris Lines, Head of the TfL London Road Safety Unit, said: “Everyday a teenager is killed or seriously injured on London roads. While this number is steadily falling, one injury is still one too many.”

For more info, visit: www.tfl.gov.uk



One of the hard-hitting posters

Schools celebrate travel plan success

SEVEN Hackney schools celebrated at the School Travel Achievement Reception 09 last month.

The event praised schools for promoting safe and sustainable travel and encouraging Hackney children to be healthier and more environmentally aware. School Travel Plans (STPs) also reduce congestion and air pollution. Tawhid Boys' in Stamford Hill picked up the top award for the best STP. Our Lady and St Joseph's RC primary, Dalston; Shackwell primary, Stoke Newington; Morningside

primary, Hackney Central; Tyssen primary, Stamford Hill; Rosemary Works school, De Beauvoir and Harrington Hill primary, Upper Clapton also won awards for individual aspects of their plans.

Cllr Alan Laing, Cabinet Member for Neighbourhoods, said: “Thanks to the efforts of the schools, we are helping reduce congestion and air pollution and encouraging young people to be healthier and more environmentally aware. Well done everyone.”



School travel plans encourage children to be healthier

Hackney is a fast improving Council, serving one of the UK's most diverse populations. Regeneration is improving housing, public services and transport links. Crime is falling. Exam results are up. The Olympics are coming...



Job vacancies

Finance & Resources

Overpayment Team Leader

£30,753 - £32,880
(pay award pending)
Closing date: 18 April
Ref: FR472

You will manage the 10-strong overpayment team, ensuring a high level of professional support to Revenues and Benefits. Your responsibilities will include representing the Council in court, dealing with overpayments, making decisions on complaints and appeals, and initiating ideas to increase recovery. You will need a background in management of a benefits environment, including significant experience in housing and Council Tax benefit. Skilled in using a range of software, you will also have the ability to manage home workers.

Overpayment Officers

£27,588 - £29,193
(pay award pending)
Closing date: 18 April
Ref: FR473

Do you have experience of overpayments or debt recovery within a benefits and revenues environment? The job includes representing the Council in court, dealing with overpayments, and making decisions on complaints and appeals in order to recover housing and council tax benefit. You will need extensive knowledge of housing and Council Tax legislation, together with experience of providing direct, professional support and guidance to members of the public. Skilled in negotiating



recovery arrangements with landlords and claimants, you will have the ability to achieve targets to set deadlines.



Neighbourhoods & Regeneration

Senior Commercial Waste Administrators

£27,753 - £29,193
(pay award pending)
Closing date: 20 April
Ref: NR474

This is your chance to be involved in the day-to-day management and development of the Council's commercial waste business portfolio. You'll develop and maintain financial and administrative processes, deal with enquiries and complaints, and manage the performance of administrative officers. Equally comfortable managing people and working independently, you will have experience of a busy operational environment where new services and ways of working are constantly developing. A proven understanding of administrative and IT systems, and good communication skills are vital.

Generic Administrator

£22,262 - £24,501
(pay award pending)
Closing date: 20 April
Ref: NR475

You will provide a comprehensive and high quality administrative and secretarial service to Waste Services. Your duties will include data input, filing, faxing and producing reports. You'll liaise with managers, the service centre and client departments to deal with complaints. Taking responsibility for your own workload while working as part of a team, you will have the

ability to develop IT and administrative systems to meet the needs of the service. Good communication and letter writing skills are essential. Experience of working within an operational environment is desirable.

Community Services

Sports & Physical Activity Development Officer - Football

£34,605 - £37,368
12 month contract
(pay award pending)
Closing date: 17 April
Ref: CS466

Your challenge is to get and keep Hackney hooked on sport before and after 2012. You'll lead on the Football Foundation bid for Hackney Marshes and the development of the future of football in the area. You'll build a team of community coaches and provide the link between various organisations involved in the progress of plans. To keep the sport going, you'll need to raise enough to cover the operating costs and ensure the facilities make a significant impact on the regeneration of the area. You'll need strong leadership qualities and will work within time and budget constraints. Ideally you will hold a coaching qualification, and have experience of working for and with the community.

TO APPLY

Visit: www.hackney.gov.uk/jobs-careers, call: 0845 313 3140, or e-mail: [ref]@tribal.recruit mail.com (Include your full address & phone number)



Job Profile

Binnie Crookes

Head of Leisure & Physical Activity, talks to Hackney Today about the Sports Development Coordinator role



What are the main responsibilities of the job?

The successful candidate will work with the community to develop ways to increase involvement in sport and physical activity. The important message to get across is that sport is beneficial in a number of ways, be it fun, fitness, friendship or health. A part of the job will also be to develop the Youth Games by working with young people in the borough.

What are the ideal qualities you are looking for in the candidate?

As a lot of the work will be with different groups, he or she will need to be an effective communicator, always open and approachable. The role requires a lot of planning and seeing projects through from start to finish, so the candidate should have a methodical approach to work. And of course a passion for sport and physical activity,

and a desire to get people involved, is essential.

Why is it good to work in Hackney?

This role is a great opportunity to be part of a new team in a 2012 Olympic and Paralympic host borough, and to have an impact on people's lives. Increasing participation in sport will have positive effects on major social issues like community cohesion, crime, social inclusion, well-being and of course health.

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29 The Broadway, Stratford,
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have your say

Recipes straight from the ovens at Hoxton Apprentice
www.hoxtonapprentice.com



Andrew Magill, 25, graduated from our front of house scheme in July 2004. He is now Assistant Manager at Hoxton Apprentice. Before joining the programme, Andrew was an unemployed Hackney resident from a single parent family. He heard about the opportunity through Access to Employment, a job brokerage service. After graduation, Andrew stayed on as a full-time waiter/bar-person, then had a stint at the King William IV pub and dining room in Chigwell, before returning to the Hoxton Apprentice. Andrew said: "I hated being unemployed and the Hoxton Apprentice was a great way to get me out of that situation. They gave me the opportunity to learn management skills which have helped me move up the career ladder to where I am today".

Eton Mess
Serves 4

Preparation time
30 mins
Cooking/chilling time
3hrs



The Hoxton Apprentice is a social enterprise set up to train unemployed Hackney people – both in the kitchen and front of house. Six month apprenticeships prepare people for the workplace and give them the chance to gain a NVQ in hospitality. Profits are returned to Training For Life, the charity which operates the restaurant, to deliver more training for unemployed people.

- Method**
- Preheat oven to 110°C. Line baking tray with baking paper. Beat whites with a pinch of salt in a large bowl with an electric mixer until they hold soft peaks
 - Gradually add 1 cup sugar, beating until meringue holds stiff, glossy peaks
 - Spoon meringue into 4 mounds on parchment paper and spread each into a 3 inch round, smoothing tops
 - Bake in middle of oven until crisp and firm for about 1 and a half hours. Cool on baking sheet
 - Halve small strawberries for garnish. Slice remainder and stir with sherry and tbs sugar. Leave for 20 mins.
 - Drain in a sieve set over a bowl, reserving syrup. Beat cream in a chilled bowl until it holds stiff peaks and beat in syrup. Spoon over meringues and top with strawberry slices. Garnish with halved berries

If you would like to offer an apprentice a job, or want to become an apprentice yourself, call Patrick Lyster-Todd on: 020 7749 2805. For more info, visit: www.hoxtonapprentice.com

HOXTON
apprentice

Part of a masterplan

VIEWS are being sought on draft proposals to help shape the future of Dalston and Hackney Central as major commercial centres. After a consultation held last year, the Council has developed a draft masterplan for both town centres, with proposals to improve these vibrant areas. Masterplans describe to developers what the Council, residents and local businesses expect. The consultation runs until 15 May. For more info and to have your say visit: www.hackney.gov.uk/dalston-masterplan; or:

www.hackney.gov.uk/hackney-central-masterplan
• You can also visit street stalls on: 7 April, 11am-3pm at Somerfields supermarket, Amhurst Park, N16 to discuss both masterplans; 15 April, 4-7pm in the Narrow Way, E9 to hear about Hackney Central plans; and 16 April, 4-7pm at Kingsland Shopping Centre, E8 for the Dalston plans. For more info call: 020 8356 7740; e-mail: strategic.delivery@hackney.gov.uk; or visit the Planning Reception, 263 Mare Street, E8

Police news views

REVEAL your views on the new Policing and Community Safety

Newsletter and you could win a £50 voucher. The newsletter, which is due to come through your door every two months, explains what the Council and police are doing to combat crime and anti-social behaviour. The newsletters are a pilot project funded by Team Hackney and the Safer Cleaner Partnership. To give us your feedback and suggestions for improvement, complete the survey – Community Safety Newsletter Evaluation – by 25 April at www.consultationfinder.com/hackney. For more info call: 020 8356 3996; or e-mail: jennifer.riley@hackney.gov.uk

Meetings

COUNCIL MEETINGS

Apr 1	Standards committee	6.30pm
Apr 6	Licensing sub-committee	10am
Apr 6	Living in Hackney scrutiny commission	7pm
Apr 6	Children & Young People scrutiny commission	7pm
Apr 7	Licensing sub-committee	2pm
Apr 7	Health in Hackney scrutiny commission	10am
Apr 14	Licensing sub-committee	7pm
Apr 16	Licensing sub-committee	7pm
Apr 20	Governance & Resources scrutiny commission	7pm
Apr 20	Health in Hackney scrutiny commission	7pm
Apr 20	Licensing committee	7pm
Apr 21	Licensing sub-committee	2pm
Apr 21	Cabinet Procurement Committee	5pm
Apr 22	Audit sub-committee	6.30pm
Apr 22	Overview & Scrutiny board	7pm

TENANTS & RESIDENTS ASSOCIATION

MEETINGS IN APRIL

Banister House	8
Fawcett	15
Webb	22
East Reservoir	23
Warburton & Darcy	27
Kingsland	29

TO CHECK TIMES & VENUES, PLEASE CALL THE RESIDENT PARTICIPATION TEAM ON: 020 8356 7845



ALL MEETINGS AT HACKNEY TOWN HALL, MARE STREET, E8.
INFO: 020 8356 3316/3302/3441
OR VISIT: WWW.HACKNEY.GOV.UK

Sudoku

For solutions see:
www.hackney.gov.uk/hackneytoday

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The Mayor & Councillors

Councillors are elected by Hackney residents and serve for four years. The last borough elections were in May 2006.

Councillors have a range of responsibilities, including helping to oversee the Council and its services. They all hold advice surgeries where you can meet your local representative and ask them to take up issues that may be of concern.

Generally they can help with Council related matters, but if the issue is the responsibility of another person or organisation, they can often point you in the right direction and tell you who you need to see.

Hackney has 57 councillors representing areas called wards – illustrated in the map opposite.

Please note: some councillors do not hold surgeries during the school summer holidays. Call the number below to check.

To check which councillor covers your area, or confirm surgery times, call: 020 8356 3373. More info: www.hackney.gov.uk/I-mayor-cabinet-councillors.htm

ADVICE SURGERY ON CRIME AND COMMUNITY SAFETY ISSUES

Cllr Nkafu, 5-6pm, 1st Monday each month, Hackney Town Hall, Mare St, E8.
To book an appointment call: 020 8356 3211

Hackney's wards in alphabetical order

1. Brownswood
2. Cazenove
3. Chatham
4. Clissold
5. Dalston
6. De Beauvoir
7. Hackney Central
8. Hackney Downs
9. Haggerston
10. Hoxton
11. Kings Park
12. Leabridge
13. Lordship
14. New River
15. Queensbridge
16. Springfield
17. Stoke Newington Central
18. Victoria
19. Wick



- North East Neighbourhood Forum
- Shoreditch Neighbourhood Committee
- Stoke Newington Neighbourhood Forum
- Homerton Neighbourhood Committee

The Mayor



Jules Pipe

Hackney has an executive Mayor, Jules Pipe, who is not a councillor, but is directly elected by the entire borough. The Mayor is the political leader of the Council, overseeing the budget and all Council services. Civic and ceremonial duties are undertaken by the Speaker of the Council who is elected annually from the borough's 57 councillors. Cllr Ian Rathbone is the current Speaker.

1. BROWNSWOOD



Cllr Darren Parker
1st Fri each month, 9-10am,
Robin Redmond Resource Centre,
440 Seven Sisters Rd, Woodberry
Down Estate, N4.
Cllr Feryat Demirci
1st Sat each month, 11am-
12noon, Amwell Court Community
Hall, Green Lanes, N4.
Cllr Brian Bell
No surgery. To book an
appointment with Cllr Bell,
call Members' Support on:
020 8356 3373.



2. CAZENOVE



Cllrs Joseph Stauber
1st Wed, 5-6pm, Simon Marks
Jewish Primary School, 75 Cazenove
Road, N16.
Cllr Ian Sharer
1st & 3rd Thurs, 10.30-11.30am,
North London Muslim Community
Centre, 68 Cazenove Rd, N16.
Cllr Dawood Akhoo
1st & 3rd Sat each month, 10am-
12.30pm, NLMCC, 68 Cazenove Rd,
N16.
2nd & 4th Sat each month, 10am-
12.30pm, Stamford Hill Community
Hall, N16. Cllr Akhoo can visit
housebound constituents. To book an
appointment call: 020 8806 1147.



3. CHATHAM



Cllr Luke Akehurst,
2nd Fri each month, 6.30-7.30pm,
Hackney Town Hall, Mare St, E8.
Cllr Sally Mulready
Last Fri each month, 7-8pm,
Hackney Town Hall, Mare St, E8.
Cllr Guy Nicholson
3rd Fri each month, 6.30-7.30pm,
Jack Dunning Community Hall,
Homerton Row, E9.



Councillor Mulready can be
contacted on: 07930 575 913, and
will undertake home visits to
older people

4. CLISSOLD



Cllr Linda Smith
1st Mon each month, 7-8pm,
Hawksley Ct Community Hall, N16.
Cllr Karen Alcock
2nd Fri each month, 6-7pm, Milton
Gdns Community Hall, Milton Gdns
Estate, N16.
Cllrs Alcock & Smith on a rota basis
3rd Mon each month, 7-8pm, Burma
Court Community Hall, Burma Rd, N16.
4th Mon each month, 9.30-10.30am,
Howard Rd Resource Centre, Howard Rd,
N16.
Cllr Mischa Borris (no March surgeries)
2nd Tues each month, 6.30-7.30pm,
Milton Gdns Community Hall, N16.
3rd Fri each month, 6.30-7.30pm, Frank
Halley Community Rm, Burma Rd, N16.



5. DALSTON



Cllrs Sophie Linden, Nargis Khan
& Angus Mulready-Jones
(on a rota basis)
1st Thurs each month, 6.30-
7.30pm, Evelyn Court, Amhurst Rd,
E8.
2nd Sat each month, 12noon-
1pm, Community Hall, Millard
Close, Shellgrove Estate, N16.
3rd Fri each month, 6.30-7.30pm,
CLR James Library, 24-30 Dalston
Lane, E8.



6. DE BEAUVOIR



Cllrs Robert Chapman, Gulay
Icoz & Christopher McShane
2nd Sat each month, 11am-
12noon, Coleville Community Hall,
35 Branch St, N1.
3rd Sat each month, walkabout
surgery in the afternoon.



E-mail these councillors at:
debeauvoir@hackney-labour.org.uk
Alternatively, call Members'
Services on: 020 8356 3373.



7. HACKNEY CENTRAL



Cllrs Samantha Lloyd, Alan
Laing & Vincent Stops
(on a rota basis)
1st Sat each month, 10-11am,
Pembury Senior Citizens Club,
Hindrey Rd, E8.
2nd Sat each month, 11am-
12noon, Wilton Community Hall,
Greenwood Rd, E8.
4th Sat each month, 11am-
12noon, Mountford Community
Hall, Cecilia Rd, E8.



Cllr Laing is also available at the
Town Hall. To book an appointment
call: 020 8356 3373.



8. HACKNEY DOWNS



Cllr Faizullah Khan
1st Sat each month, 11am-
12noon, Gooch House,
Kenninghall Rd, E5.
Cllr Michael Desmond
1st Sun each month, 11am-
12noon, Nightingale Estate Office,
7 Olympus Sq, E5. Cllr Desmond
is also available at the Town Hall,
call: 020 8356 3373.
Cllr Sem Moema
2nd Sun each month, 11am-
12noon, Landfield Community
Hall, Landfield Estate, Stelman
Close, E5.
Last Sun each month, roving
surgery. Also available at the Town
Hall. Call: 020 8356 3373.



9. HAGGERSTON



Cllrs Afolasade Bright
1st Thurs each month, 6.30-
7.30pm, Haggerston Community
Centre, Haggerston Rd, E8.
Barry Buitekant
2nd Mon each month, 6-7pm,
St Mary's Community Centre, Kent
Rd, E2.
3rd Thurs each month, 6-7.30pm,
Goldsmith's Community Hall,
Goldsmith Sq, E2.
Jonathan McShane
1st Mon each month, 7-8pm,
Geffrye Community Hall, Falkirk
Street, N1.
4th Sat every month, 11am-
12noon, VLC Centre, Whiston Road,
E2.



10. HOXTON



Cllr Claydon McKenzie
2nd Tues each month, 6-7pm,
The Bell Club, Bowling Green Walk,
Pitfield St, N1.
Cllr Carole Williams
2nd Mon each month, 6.30-
7.30pm, 16a Malcolm House,
Arden Estate, N1.
Cllr Philip Glanville
3rd Wed each month, 6-7pm,
Provost Community Hall, Murray
Grove, N1.
3rd Sat of each month, 11am-
12noon, The Bell Club, Bowling
Green Walk, Pitfield St N1.
Cllr Glanville can also be contacted
on: 07967 116 537.



11. KINGS PARK



Cllr Sharon Patrick
1st Fri each month, 6.30-
7.30pm, Hackney Marsh
Partnership, Kingsmead Cabin,
Kingsmead Way, E9.
Can visit disabled or housebound
constituents, to book an
appointment call: 020 8356 3373.
Cllr Saleem Siddiqui
1st & 3rd Fri each month, 7-
8pm, Vi Forrester Hall (behind the
housing office), Gilpin Rd, E5.
Cllr Julius Nkafu
3rd Sat each month, 12noon-
1pm, Kingsmead Tenants Hall, 5/6
Templemead House, Homerton Rd,
E9.



12. LEABRIDGE



Cllrs Linda Kelly, Deniz
Oguzkanli & Ian Rathbone
1st Sun each month, 11am-
12noon, Tenants Association Hall,
Beechholme Estate, Prout Rd, E5.
2nd Sat each month, 1-2pm,
Wayside Community Centre, 24
Chatsworth Rd, E5.
4th Sat each month, 1-2pm,
Community Hall, Mount Estate,
Mount Pleasant Lane, E5.
4th Sat each month, 2-
3pm, Community Flat, 10 Detmold
Rd, Jack Watts Estate, E5.



These ward councillors can be
contacted on: 07890 654 068

13. LORDSHIP



Cllrs Bernard Aussenberg,
Simon Tesler & Mathew
Coggins
(on a rota basis)
1st Sun each month, 11.30am-
12.30pm, Peter Collins Memorial
Hall, Holmleigh Rd Estate, N16.
3rd Sun each month, 2-3pm,
Stoke Newington Library, Church
Street, N16.



Cllr Coggins can be contacted on:
07794 419 301.

14. NEW RIVER



Cllrs Maureen Middleton
1st Sun each month, 11.30am-
12.30pm, TA Flat, 1 Wyersdale
House, Woodberry Down Estate,
N4.
4th Sun each month, 11.30am-
12.30pm, Ben Simons Community
Hall, 1-66 Lincoln Court, Bethune
Rd, N16.
Cllr Middleton can be contacted on:
020 7249 9155 or 07930 575 912.
Cllrs Harvey Odze & Simche
Steinberger (on a rota basis)
2nd Mon each month, 4-5pm,
Stamford Hill Library, Portland Ave,
N16. Cllr Odze can be contacted
on: 07790 902 513 or at:
harvey.odze@hackney.gov.uk



15. QUEENSBRIDGE



Cllrs Thomas Price, Emma
Plouviez & Patrick Vernon
(on a rota basis)
1st Sat each month, 10-11am,
Queensbridge Leisure Centre, 30
Holly St, E8.
3rd Sat each month, 10-11am,
Regents Pensioners Hall, 30
Brougham Rd, E8.



You can e-mail these councillors
direct. Alternatively, call Members'
Services on: 020 8356 3373.

16. SPRINGFIELD



Cllrs Jacob Landau, Shuja
Shaikh & Michael Levy
(on a rota basis)
1st and 3rd Sun each month,
11.30am-12.30pm at Webb
Estate Community Hall, Clapton
Common, E5.



17. STOKE NEWINGTON CENTRAL



Cllrs Rita Krishna, Muttalip
Unluer & Louisa Thomson
(on a rota basis)
1st, 2nd & 4th Sat each month,
10-11am, Yorkshire Grove Estate
Community Hall, Gunstor Rd, (off
Beatty Road) N16. Except Bank
Holiday weekends.
2nd Sat of each month, 11am,
Stoke Newington Central
councillors will hold a ward
walkabout after the main surgery.



Cllr Louisa Thomson can be
contacted on: 07794 637 870

18. VICTORIA



Cllr Daniel Kemp
1st Sat each month, 10.30-
11.30am, Pitcairn Hall (entrance
in Mare St), Pitcairn House,
Frampton Park Estate, E9
(disabled access).
Cllr Katie Hanson
2nd Wed each month, 7-8pm,
New Kingshold Community
Centre, Primrose Sq, E9 (disabled
access).
Cllr Geoff Taylor
3rd Wed each month, 2-3pm,
Salvation Army Building, 70 Mare
St, E8 (disabled access). **Pls note**
Cllr Taylor's surgery will take
place on 22 April over Easter.



19. WICK



Cllrs Jessica Webb, Christine
Boyd & Christopher Kennedy
(on a rota basis)
1st Sun each month, 12noon-
1pm, Wick OAP Hall, Lavington
Close, Trowbridge Estate, E9.
3rd Sun each month, 12noon-
1pm, Vaine House, Gascoyne
Estate, Cassland Road, E9.



Hackney Council is committed to improving services, increasing opportunities for all, and making a safer, cleaner, greener borough. Here we focus on a service that helps to make this possible:



CLEAN SWEEP

Darren Attread is the Council's Acting Area Environmental Manager

DARREN has turned his hand to every job going in his 15 years with the waste service.

He started as a street sweeper, and now manages a 35-strong team responsible for keeping the streets of Haggerston, De Beauvoir, Hoxton and Dalston clean.

Darren's working day starts at 6am, co-ordinating the street sweepers, the refuse trucks and brushing machines, making sure there are no gaps in the service.

Up to three hours a day are spent monitoring. "We go out looking for problems," he says. He gets monthly reports, showing any trouble spots. That way, eyesores can be dealt with

promptly. If necessary, he can call on the enforcement team, who prosecute people for fly-tipping and illegal dumping. "There's no excuse for dumping," he says. "The Council will collect up to five items, five times a year from every house, absolutely free of charge."

Darren has built up a good relationship with residents associations. He knows how much clean streets mean to people. Resident satisfaction with the service has doubled since 2001, but Darren and his team aren't complacent. "We've made a big difference, but we're aiming to improve even more," he adds.

A tidy operation

By
Martine Large



THE Council's street cleaning team are the people tasked with keeping Hackney clean and free of litter.

There are 150 street cleaners – 78 work on their own, with the rest working in teams, using tipper vehicles or large mechanical brooms to sweep up rubbish. Between them, they pick up around 300 tonnes of litter and dumped waste every week.

Every road is swept at least twice a week and high streets and town

centres are cleaned daily, seven days a week. Streets are inspected in between.

Changes have recently been made to commercial waste collections. From 6 April, businesses with a waste contract with the Council will be given red sacks. This will allow collectors to easily tell what may be commercial waste, and help them identify waste left by businesses without proper disposal arrangements.

The Council will also be introducing a 'time-banding' scheme over the next few months, with businesses and residents on main

thoroughfares being asked to put out their rubbish at set times for collection twice a day, every day, including weekends.

A similar scheme has been operating in part of Stoke Newington for two years and won a Keep Hackney Tidy Award in 2007, as well as praise from residents.

The scheme will be phased in to allow people time to get used to the new system.



A street cleaner at work using one of the Council's green sweeping machines

MORE INFO

For details of the red bag scheme call: **020 8356 6683**; or e-mail: commercialwaste@hackney.gov.uk
For general waste related inquiries or to report fly-tipping call: **020 8356 6688**

Refuse collections at Easter

Collection day changes

During the Easter holidays there will be changes to your usual collection days.

Usual collection		Revised collection	
April			
Monday	06	Collection as normal	
Tuesday	07	Collection as normal	
Wednesday	08	Thursday	09
Thursday	09	Friday	10
Friday	10	Saturday	11
Saturday	11	No scheduled collections	
Sunday	12	No scheduled collections	
Monday	13	Tuesday	14
Tuesday	14	Wednesday	15
Wednesday	15	Thursday	16
Thursday	16	Friday	17
Friday	17	Saturday	18

In addition we will have a full cleansing service out on Good Friday and Easter Monday and will be working normally on Saturday 11 and Sunday 12 April.

Collections return to normal on Monday 20 April 2009.

For more information regarding these service changes, please phone 020 8356 6688.



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LICENSING

Notice is given that **LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY – GREEN SPACES** applied to **HACKNEY COUNCIL** for a premises licence at: **WELLSTREET COMMON (CENTROID OF PARK: 535861.50, 184289.10) – GRID REF: TQ3584**

In order that the following licensable activities can take place: Provision of regulated Entertainment comprising of : Plays, Films, Live music, Performances of Dance, any Entertainment of a similar description to Live music, Recorded music, and performances of Dance, facilities for making music, facilities for Dancing and any Entertainment of a similar description to facilities for Dancing, and Making music.

SUNDAY – THURSDAY 10.00 – 21.00HRS

FRIDAY – SATURDAY 10.00 – 22.00HRS

The licence register listing details of the application is held at the Licensing Service, 263 Mare Street, London E8 3HT (Tel No. 020 8356 4970). Details are also available on-line at www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing

Any representations against this application must be made in writing and received by the Licensing Service at the above address, by no later than the **MONDAY 27 APRIL 2009**

Residents and businesses in the vicinity of the premises, or their representatives, may make representations on licensing objectives grounds only, i.e. the prevention of crime and disorder, the prevention of public nuisance, public safety and the protection of children from harm. Copies of all representations will be sent to the applicant. It is an offence, liable on conviction to a fine up to £5000 for an applicant to knowingly or recklessly make a false statement in connection with the application.

DATED THIS 6TH DAY OF APRIL 2009.

Notice is given that **LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY – GREEN SPACES** applied to **HACKNEY COUNCIL** for a premises licence at: **SPRINGFIELD PARK (CENTROID OF PARK: 534652.23, 187553.24) – GRID REF: TQ3487**

In order that the following licensable activities can take place: Provision of regulated Entertainment comprising of : Plays, Films, Live music, Performances of Dance, any Entertainment of a similar description to Live music, Recorded music, and performances of Dance, facilities for making music, facilities for Dancing and any Entertainment of a similar description to facilities for Dancing, and Making music.

MONDAY – THURSDAY: 10.00 – 22.00HRS

FRIDAY – SATURDAY: 10.00 – 23.00HRS

SUNDAY: 10.00 – 21.00HRS

The licence register listing details of the application is held at the Licensing Service, 263 Mare Street, London E8 3HT (Tel No. 020 8356 4970). Details are also available on-line at www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing

Any representations against this application must be made in writing and received by the Licensing Service at the above address, by no later than **MONDAY 27 APRIL 2009**

Residents and businesses in the vicinity of the premises, or their representatives, may make representations on licensing objectives grounds only, i.e. the prevention of crime and disorder, the prevention of public nuisance, public safety and the protection of children from harm. Copies of all representations will be sent to the applicant. It is an offence, liable on conviction to a fine up to £5000 for an applicant to knowingly or recklessly make a false statement in connection with the application.

DATED THIS 6TH DAY OF APRIL 2009.

Notice is given **CARDBOARD CITIZENS** have applied to Hackney Council for a premises licence at: **CORDY HOUSE 87-95 CURTAIN ROAD HACKNEY LONDON EC2A 3BX**

in order that the following licensable activities can take place: Theatre performances using play, film, recorded music, dance. Supply of alcohol from 14 June 09 to 13 July 09. Performances Tuesday – Friday 19.30 to 21.45, Saturday – Sunday 15.00 to 21.45. Additional hours: Monday 15 June 19.30 – 21.45, Thursday 18 June 19.00 – 21.45, Tuesday 23 June 17.00 – 21.45, Thursday 25 June 15.00 – 17.15, Thursday 9 July 15.00 – 17.15. Supply of alcohol Tuesday – Friday 19.00 to 23.00, Saturday – Sunday 14.30 to 23.00. Additional Hours: Monday 15 June 19.00 – 23.00, Thursday 18 June 18.30 – 23.00, Thursday 25 June 14.30 to 18.00, Thursday 9 July 14.30 – 18.00

The licence register listing details of the application is held at the Licensing Service 263 Mare Street London E8 3HT (Tel No 020 8356 4970)

Details are also available on line at www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing

Any representations against the application must be made in writing and received by the Licensing Service at the above address by no later than **MONDAY 27 APRIL 2009**

Residents and businesses in the vicinity of the premises or bodies representing such residents or businesses may make representations. The grounds on which the representations may be made are restricted to the licensing objectives of the prevention of crime and disorder, public safety, the prevention of public nuisance and the protection of children from harm. Representations cannot be made after the provisional statement has been issued. Copies of all representations will be sent to the applicant. It is an offence liable on conviction to a fine up to £5000 for an applicant to knowingly or recklessly make a false statement in connection with an application

DATED THIS 6TH DAY OF APRIL 2009.

Notice is given that **BROWN BLAY RANCY** applied to **HACKNEY COUNCIL** for a premises licence at: **35-39 STOKE NEWINGTON HIGH STREET N16 8DR**

in order that the following licensable activities can take place: Sales of alcohol, Monday – Thursday 12.00 – 00.00, Friday and Saturday 12.00 – 03.00,

Sunday 12.00 – 23.00. Late night refreshment Mon – Thur 23.00 – 00.00, Friday and Saturday 23.00 – 03.00. Live music, recorded music, facilities for making music. Facilities for dancing Friday and Saturday 23.00 – 03.00

The licence register listing details of the application is held at the Licensing Service 263 Mare Street London E8 3HT (Tel No 020 8356 4970)

Details are also available on line at www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing

Any representations against the application must be made in writing and received by the Licensing Service at the above address by no later than **5 MAY 09.**

Residents and businesses in the vicinity of the premises or bodies representing such residents or businesses may make representations. The grounds on which the representations may be made are restricted to the licensing objectives of the prevention of crime and disorder, public safety, the prevention of public nuisance and the protection of children from harm. Representations cannot be made after the provisional statement has been issued. Copies of all representations will be sent to the applicant. It is an offence liable on conviction to a fine up to £5000 for an applicant to knowingly or recklessly make a false statement in connection with an application.

DATED THIS 6TH DAY OF APRIL 2009.

Notice is given that **MR SAIFUR ALAM** applied to Hackney Council for a premises licence at: **STAR OF THE EAST LIMITED 47 STOKE NEWINGTON CHURCH STREET LONDON N16 0NX**

in order that the following licensable activities can take place: Restaurant serving alcohol with the meal only! 1200pm – 12.00am Midnight 7 days a week at a seating only restaurant. Sale by retail of alcohol on premises only.

The licence register listing details of the application is held at the Licensing Service 263 Mare Street London E8 3HT (Tel No 020 8356 4970)

Details are also available on line at www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing

Any representations against the application must be made in writing and received by the Licensing Service at the above address by no later than the **28 APRIL 09.**

Residents and businesses in the vicinity of the premises or bodies representing such residents or businesses may make representations. The grounds on which the representations may be made are restricted to the licensing objectives of the prevention of crime and disorder, public safety, the prevention of public nuisance and the protection of children from harm. Representations cannot be made after the provisional statement has been issued. Copies of all representations will be sent to the applicant. It is an offence liable on conviction to a fine up to £5000 for an applicant to knowingly or recklessly make a false statement in connection with an application.

DATED THIS 6TH DAY OF APRIL 2009.

Notice is given that **METIN KAZAK** applied to Hackney Council for a premises licence at: **1 ALBION PARADE, NEWINGTON GREEN, LONDON N16 9LD**

in order that the following licensable activities can take place: Provision of late night refreshments From Mon – Sun, From Mon – Thur 01.00am closing,

From Fri – Sat 02.00am closing, From Sun – 00.00 am closing

The licence register listing details of the application is held at the Licensing Service 263 Mare Street London E8 3HT (Tel No 020 8356 4970)

Details are also available on line at www.hackney.gov.uk/licensing

Any representations against the application must be made in writing and received by the Licensing Service at the above address by no later than the **28 APR 09.**

Residents and businesses in the vicinity of the premises or bodies representing such residents or businesses may make representations. The grounds on which the representations may be made are restricted to the licensing objectives of the prevention of crime and disorder, public safety, the prevention of public nuisance and the protection of children from harm. Representations cannot be made after the provisional statement has been issued. Copies of all representations will be sent to the applicant. It is an offence liable on conviction to a fine up to £5000 for an applicant to knowingly or recklessly make a false statement in connection with an application.

DATED THIS 6TH DAY OF APRIL 2009.



TRAFFIC

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY. THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (D ZONE) (AMENDMENT NO .3) ORDER 2009. THE HACKNEY (WAITING AND LOADING RESTRICTIONS) (AMENDMENT NO. 19) ORDER 2009. TRO 488

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on 3rd April 2009 the Council of the London Borough of Hackney made the above-mentioned Orders under sections 6, 45, 46, 49 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.

2. The general effect of the Orders will be, on the south-western side of Andre Street between it's junctions with Anton Street and Amhurst Road, to:

- remove the five existing shared use bays; and
- introduce waiting and loading restrictions operating at any time along the whole of this length.

3. Copies of the Orders which will come into force on 8th April 2009, other relevant Orders and other documents giving more detailed particulars of either of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks from the date on which the Orders are made, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT, or on line at <http://www.hackney.gov.uk>. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. If any person wishes to question the validity of either of the Orders, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Orders are made,

apply for the purpose to the High Court.

DATED THIS 6TH DAY OF APRIL 2009.

Tom McCourt, Assistant Director (Public Realm)
(The officer appointed for this purpose)

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY. THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (ZONE F) (AMENDMENT NO. 5) ORDER 2009. TRO 487

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on 3rd April 2009 the Council of the London Borough of Hackney made the above-mentioned Order under sections 45, 46, 49 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.

2. The general effect of the Order will be amend the Traffic Order definitions to meet the on site situation in Orsman Road.

3. Copies of the Order which will come into force on 8th April 2009, other relevant Orders and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Order, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks from the date on which the Order is made, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT, or on line at <http://www.hackney.gov.uk>. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. If any person wishes to question the validity of the Order, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Order is made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

DATED THIS 6TH DAY OF APRIL 2009.

Tom McCourt, Assistant Director (Public Realm)
(The officer appointed for this purpose)

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY. THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (ZONE E) (AMENDMENT NO.*) ORDER 200*. THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (H ZONE) (AMENDMENT NO.*) ORDER 200*. THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (ZONE J) (AMENDMENT NO.*) ORDER 200*. THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (ZONE N) (AMENDMENT NO.*) ORDER 200*. THE HACKNEY (DISABLED PERSONS PARKING PLACES) (AMENDMENT NO.*) ORDER 200*. THE HACKNEY (WAITING AND LOADING RESTRICTIONS) (AMENDMENT NO*) ORDER 200*. TRO 499

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London Borough of Hackney proposes to make the above-mentioned Orders under sections 6, 45, 46, 49 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.

2. The general effect of the Orders would be to:

- outside the Councils Controlled Parking Zones implement new disabled bays outside No. 2 Christie Road, No. 34 Gore Road, 7b Heathland Road, No. 118 Oliinda Road and No. 79 Reighton Road; and
- remove an existing 6.6 metre disabled bay outside No.10 Cowper Road (Zone E) and replace with a residents bay;
- remove 6 metres of residents parking bay outside No. 39 Cowper Road (Zone E) and replace with a disabled bay;
- replace a section of waiting restrictions operating “at any time” adjacent to the permit bay on the southern kerbline of Benyon Road (H Zone) with a disabled bay;
- reduce a section of residents parking permit bay outside Nos. 82-92 Shrubland Road (Zone J) and replace with a 6.6 metre disabled bay;
- introduce a section of waiting restrictions “operating at any time” on the southern section of the market area outside 374 Kingsland Road (Zone J).
- remove 6.6 metres of residents parking bay outside Nos. 25 and 27 Glyn Road (Zone N) and replace with a disabled bay;
- remove 6.6 metres of existing residents parking bay outside No. 57 Glyn Road (Zone N) and replace with a disabled parking bay;
- replace 6.6 metres of residents parking bay outside No. 183 Glenarm Road with a disabled parking bay.

3. Copies of the Orders, and of other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Orders, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive until the end of a period 6 weeks from the date on which the Orders are made or the Council decides not to make the Orders, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT, or on line at <http://www.hackney.gov.uk>. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

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4. Any objections or other representations about any of the proposed Orders should be sent in writing to the Assistant Director (Public Realm) at the address specified in paragraph 3 above until the expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published. All objections must specify the grounds on which they are made.

DATED THIS 6TH DAY OF APRIL 2009.
Tom McCourt, Assistant Director (Public Realm)
(The officer appointed for this purpose)

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY. THE HACKNEY (20MPH SPEED LIMIT). (NO. 1) ORDER 2009. TRO 486

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on 3rd April 2009 the Council of the London Borough of Hackney made the above-mentioned Order under Section 84 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004

2. The general effect of the Order will be to introduce a 20mph speed limit into Ashtead Road, Castlewood Road, Craven Walk, Egerton Road, Fairweather Road, Leabourne Road, Leadale Road, Lingwood Road, Moundfield Road, Overlea Road, Ravensdale Road, Rookwood Road, Spring Hill and Timberwharf Road.

3. Copies of the Order which will come into force on 8th April 2009, other relevant Orders and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Order, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks from the date on which the Order is made, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT, or on line at <http://www.hackney.gov.uk>. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. If any person wishes to question the validity of the Order, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Order is made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

DATED THIS 6TH DAY OF APRIL 2009.
Tom McCourt, Assistant Director (Public Realm)
(The officer appointed for this purpose)

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY. THE HACKNEY (PROHIBITION OF STOPPING OUTSIDE SCHOOLS) (AMENDMENT NO. 1) ORDER 2009. TRO 484

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on 3rd April the Council of the London Borough of Hackney made the above-mentioned Order under sections 6 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.

2. The general effect of the Order will be to introduce “school keep clear” markings operating between 8.00am - 9.30am and 2.30pm - 4.00pm Monday to Friday outside Baden Powell Primary School on Charnock Road during school term time.

3. Copies of the Order which will come into force on 8th April 2009, other relevant Orders and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Order, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks from the date on which the Order is made, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT, or on line at <http://www.hackney.gov.uk>. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. If any person wishes to question the validity of the Order, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Order is made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

DATED THIS 6TH DAY OF APRIL 2009.
Tom McCourt, Assistant Director (Public Realm)
(The officer appointed for this purpose)

LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY. THE HACKNEY (WAITING AND LOADING RESTRICTIONS). (AMENDMENT NO. 17) ORDER 2009. TRO 478

1. NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on 3rd April 2009 the Council of the London Borough of Hackney made the above-mentioned Order under sections 6 and 124 of and Part IV of Schedule 9 to the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by the Local Government Act 1985 and the Traffic Management Act 2004.

2. The general effect of the Order will be to introduce waiting restrictions operating “at any time” into sections of Manor Road, Mead Place, Mount Pleasant Hill, Mount Pleasant Lane, Muston

Road and Northfield Road.

3. Copies of the Order which will come into force on 8th April 2009, other relevant Orders and other documents giving more detailed particulars of the Order, can be inspected during normal office hours on Mondays to Fridays inclusive, until the expiration of a period of six weeks from the date on which the Order is made, in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT, or on line at <http://www.hackney.gov.uk>. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

4. If any person wishes to question the validity of the Order, or of any provision contained therein on the grounds that it not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or that any requirement of the Act or of any instrument under the Act has not been complied with, that person may, within six weeks of the date on which the Order is made, apply for the purpose to the High Court.

DATED THIS 6TH DAY OF APRIL 2009.
Tom McCourt, Assistant Director (Public Realm)
(The officer appointed for this purpose)

THE HACKNEY (PARKING PLACES) (NO.1). (NOTICE OF VARIATION) ORDER 2009. TRO 500

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the London borough of Hackney gives notice under Section 46A of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 as amended by Schedule 9 of the Local Government Act 1985 and of all other enabling powers that it intends to increase the annual charges for the permit type as shown below:-

The new charges which will come into force on 1st May 2009 are as follows:-

RESIDENT PERMIT	12 MONTHS
Greenest Vehicles	Free
Greener Fuels & Smaller Engines (under 1200cc)	£45.00
Normal Sizes (1200 - 2000cc)	£90.00
Large Engine (2001 - 3000cc)	£135.00
Very Large (3001 - 4000cc)	£180.00
Extremely large (4001 plus cc)	£225.00

RESIDENTS PERMITS	6 MONTHS
Greenest Vehicles	free
Greener Fuels & Smaller Engines (under 1200cc)	£25.50
Normal Sizes (1200 - 2000cc)	£51.00
Large Engine (2001 - 3000cc)	£76.50
Very Large (3001 - 4000cc)	£102.00
Extremely large (4001 plus cc)	£127.50

RESIDENT PERMITS	3 MONTHS
Greenest Vehicles	free
Greener Fuels & Smaller Engines (under 1200cc)	£14.00
Normal Sizes (1200 - 2000cc)	£28.00
Large Engine (2001 - 3000cc)	£42.00
Very Large (3001 - 4000cc)	£56.00
Extremely large (4001 plus cc)	£70.00

VISITORS VOUCHERS (10 X 5-6 HOUR EVENTS PER CARD)	
Single Card	£9.00
Single Card - Over 60s and Blue Badge holders	£4.50
(for the first 2 books per month)	
48 Hour Visitor Voucher	£3.80

BUSINESS PERMITS	
Business Permits - Zone C, D, E, F, G, G2, H, J, M, N	12 months
Greenest Vehicles	free
Greener Fuels & Smaller Engines (under 1200cc)	£185.00
Normal Sizes (1200 - 2000cc)	£370.00
Large Engine (2001 - 3000cc)	£555.00
Very Large (3001 - 4000cc)	£740.00
Extremely large (4001 plus cc)	£925.00

ZONE C, D, E, F, G, G2, H, J, M, N – 3 MONTHS	
Greenest Vehicles	free
Greener Fuels & Smaller Engines (under 1200cc)	£67.50
Normal Sizes (1200 - 2000cc)	£135.00
Large Engine (2001 - 3000cc)	£202.50
Very Large (3001 - 4000cc)	£270.00
Extremely large (4001 plus cc)	£337.50
1 Year - All Zone	£1,700.00

A copy of the Notice can be inspected during normal office hours, Monday to Friday inclusive, until expiration of a period of 21 days from the date on which this Notice is published, in the reception area of in the reception area, London Borough of Hackney, 263 Mare Street, London, E8 3HT, or on line at <http://www.hackney.gov.uk>. Further information may be obtained by contacting Helpdesk on 020 8356 2897.

DATED THIS 6TH DAY OF APRIL 2009.
Tom McCourt, Assistant Director (Public Realm)
(The officer appointed for this purpose)

TTRO / P239A. SEDGWICK STREET E9. TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF PEDESTRIANS & PROHIBITION OF

WAITING & UNLOADING. ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned FOOTWAY REFURBISHMENT WORKS within SEDGWICK STREET E9 they intend to make an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of Pedestrians	
Sedgwick Street north east side	Between points 25 metres and 99 metres south east of a point in line with the south eastern kerb line of Homerton High Street
Sedgwick Street north side	From a point in line with the north eastern kerb line of Sedgwick Street to a point 19 metres east of that junction
Mackintosh Lane	From the intersection of a point in line with the northern kerb line of Sedgwick in a general northerly and then north westerly direction for a distance of 72 metres

2. Prohibition of Waiting Loading Unloading at any time	
Sedgwick Street north east side	Between points 25 metres and 99 metres south east of a point in line with the south eastern kerb line of Homerton High Street
Sedgwick Street north side	From a point in line with the north eastern kerb line of Sedgwick Street to a point 19 metres east of that junction
Mackintosh Lane	From the intersection of a point in line with the northern kerb line of Sedgwick in a general northerly and then north westerly direction for a distance of 72 metres

3. The diversion route for the footpath will be along the opposite side

4. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

5. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) and (2) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

6. The restrictions referred to in paragraph (2) above may require vehicles to be removed at the discretion of either the engineer on site or a Police Constable in uniform

7. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
27 Apr 2009	0800 hrs	22 May 2009	1600 hrs

8. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on: 0208 356 2897

DATED THIS 6TH DAY OF APRIL 2009.
Tom McCourt, Assistant Director (Public Realm)
(The officer appointed for this purpose)

TTRO / P237BROSENDALE STREET E5. TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF PEDESTRIANS. ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned REFURBISHMENT WORKS within ROSENDALE STREET E5 they have made an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of Pedestrians	
Rosendale Street south west side	From a point in line with the north western kerb line of Northwold Road in a north westerly direction for a distance of 24 metres
2. Prohibition of Pedestrians	
Northwold Road north west side	From a point in line with the south western kerb line of Rosendale Street in a south westerly direction for a distance of 35 metres

3. The diversion route for the footpath will be along the opposite side

4. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

5. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) and (2) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

6. The restrictions referred to in paragraph (2) above will apply only in the erection and removal of any scaffolding works

7. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
6 Apr 2009	0800 hrs	6 Dec 2009	1700 hrs

8. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on: 0208 356 2897

DATED THIS 6TH DAY OF APRIL 2009.
Tom McCourt, Assistant Director (Public Realm)
(The officer appointed for this purpose)

TTRO / P240A. PHIPP STREET EC2A. TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF DRIVING. ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned THAMES WATER WORKS within PHIPP STREET EC2A they intend to make an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of driving	
Phipp Street	From its junction with Christina Street to a point 20 metres (m) south of that junction

2. Prohibition of pedestrians	
Phipp Street east side	From its junction with Christina Street to a point 20m south of that junction

3. Prohibition of waiting loading and unloading at any time	
Phipp Street both sides	From its junction with Christina Street to a point 20m south of that junction

4. The diversion route for the footpath will be along the opposite side

5. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

6. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) and (3) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

7. The restrictions referred to in paragraph (3) above may require vehicles to be removed at the discretion of either the engineer on site or a Police Constable in uniform

8. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
9 May 2009	0800 hrs	10 May 2009	1700 hrs
16 May 2009	0900hrs	17 May 2009	1700 hrs

9. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on: 0208 356 2897

DATED THIS 6TH DAY OF APRIL 2009.
Tom McCourt, Assistant Director (Public Realm)
(The officer appointed for this purpose)

TTRO / P234B. NEW NORTH PLACE EC2. TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF DRIVING. ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned Cable INSTALLATION WORKS within NEW NORTH PLACE EC2 they have made an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of driving	
New North Place	From its junction with Luke Street along its entire length to its junction with Scrutton Street

2. Prohibition of entry except for access	
New North Place	From its junction with Luke Street along its entire length to its junction with Scrutton Street

3. The diversion route for the footpath will be along the opposite side

4. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

5. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) and (2) above

will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

6. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
6 April 2009	0800 hrs	8 May 2009	1700 hrs

7. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on: 0208 356 2897

DATED THIS 6TH DAY OF APRIL 2009.
Tom McCourt, Assistant Director (Public Realm)
(The officer appointed for this purpose)

TTRO / P238B. LONG STREET E2. TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF PEDESTRIANS. ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned CONSTRUCTION WORKS within LONG STREET E2 they have made an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of Pedestrians	
Long Street south west side	Between points 9 metres and 25 metres south east of a point which is 4 metres south west of a point in line and opposite the south western kerb line of Union Walk

Long Street south east side	From a point in line with the south western kerb line of Long Street in a south westerly direction for a distance of 25 metres
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2. The diversion route for the footpath will be along the opposite side

3. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

4. The restrictions referred to in paragraph (1) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

5. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
6 April 2009	0701 hrs	20 Dec 2009	1700 hrs

6. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on: 0208 356 2897

DATED THIS 6TH DAY OF APRIL 2009.
Tom McCourt, Assistant Director (Public Realm)
(The officer appointed for this purpose)

TTRO / P236B. FOREST ROAD E8. TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF DRIVING. ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned NEW WATER CONNECTION WORKS within FOREST ROAD E8 they have made an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of driving	
Forest Road	From its junction with Queensbridge Road to a point 27 metres (No's 1 and 2 north side) in a general westerly direction of that junction

2. Prohibition of entry except for access	
Forest Road	From its junction with Holly street to a point 27 metres west of its junction with Queensbridge Road (No's 1 and 2 north side)

3. Prohibition of waiting loading and unloading at any time	
Forest Road	From its junction with Queensbridge Road to a point 27 metres (No's 1 and 2 north side) in a general westerly direction of that junction

4. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

5. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) and (3) above

will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

6. The restrictions referred to in paragraph (3) above may require vehicles to be removed at the discretion of either the engineer on site or a Police Constable in uniform

7. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
20 Apr 2009	0800 hrs	24 Apr 2009	1700 hrs

8. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on: 0208 356 2897

DATED THIS 6TH DAY OF APRIL 2009.
Tom McCourt, Assistant Director (Public Realm)
(The officer appointed for this purpose)

TTRO / P241A. DIGBY RD, BERGER RD & BARNABAS RD E9TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF WAITING. ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned ABNORMAL DELIVERIES within DIGBY ROAD, BERGER ROAD and BARNABAS ROAD they intend to make an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of waiting loading and unloading

Monday, Wednesday & Thursday 0700 hrs – 1800hrs	
Barnabas Road west side	Between points 9 metres (m) and 24m north of its intersection with the northern kerb line of Oriol Road

Berger Road south side	Between points 13m (end of existing double yellow line) and 23m west of its intersection with Barnabas Road
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Berger Road north west side	Between points 5m and 25m north east of its intersection with the north eastern kerb line of Digby Road
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Berger Road south east side	From a point in line with the south western kerb line of Digby Road in a north easterly direction for 37m
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Digby Road north east side	Between points 15m and 35m north west of its intersection with the north western kerb line of Berger Road
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Digby Road south west side	From a point in line with the south eastern kerb line of Berger Road in a north westerly direction for 62m
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2. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

3. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

4. The restrictions referred to in paragraph (1) will operate during the times and days mentioned in paragraph (1) and only between the start and finish dates stated in paragraph (5). It may be necessary for vehicles to be relocated at the discretion of either the engineer on site or a Police Constable in uniform.

5. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
27 Apr 2009	0700 hrs	20 July 2009	1800 hrs

6. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on: 0208 356 2897

DATED THIS 6TH DAY OF APRIL 2009.
Tom McCourt, Assistant Director (Public Realm)
(The officer appointed for this purpose)

TTRO / E39. PHILLIP STREET N1. TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF TRAFFIC. ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION (SPECIAL EVENTS) ACT 1984 – SECTION 16(A). THE COUNCIL OF THE LONDON BOROUGH OF HACKNEY IN EXERCISE OF POWERS CONFERRED BY SECTION 16 (A) OF THE ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION (SPECIAL EVENTS) ACT 1994 HERBY MAKE THE FOLLOWING ORDER

This order may be cited as

1. London Borough of Hackney (Temporary Prohibition and Restriction of Traffic) (Special Event) (HACKNEY “COMMUNITY

OPEN DAY” EVENT 2009).

2. The order is required to

Enable the Promotion of awareness within the estate

3. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the event has finished whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
18 Apr 2009	0900 hrs	18 Apr 2009	1800 hrs

4. During the period stated in Article 3 of this order no person shall cause or permit any

a Vehicle to enter or proceed in any streets or parts of the street that are defined in schedule 1 to this order

b Vehicle to Wait or load in any of the streets or parts of street that are defined in schedule 1 to this order

5. Nothing in Article 4 of this Order shall apply to

a Vehicles being used in connection with the said HACKNEY “COMMUNITY OPEN DAY” EVENT 2009 or used for used in connection with the said works, or any vehicle being used for ambulance, fire brigade or police purposes in an emergency or for the purpose of a statutory undertaker in an emergency

b Anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Officer in uniform

6. The prohibition or restriction specified in article 4 above shall apply only during such times and to such an extent as indicated by traffic signs of the size, type and colour shown in the traffic Signs Regulations and General Directions 2002

7. The restrictions referred to in Schedule 1 below may require vehicles to be removed at the discretion of either the engineer on site or a Police Constable in uniform

DATED THIS 6TH DAY OF APRIL 2009.
Tom McCourt, Assistant Director (Public Realm)
(The officer appointed for this purpose)

SCHEDULE 1 (SEE ARTICLE 4) NO ACCESS TO VEHICLES	
Street	Length of Street
Phillip Street	From its junction with Kingsland High Street along its entire length to the eastern kerb line of Mill Row,

TTRO / P235B. BOUVERIE ROAD N16. TEMPORARY PROHIBITION OF DRIVING. ROAD TRAFFIC REGULATION ACT 1984 – SECTION 14(1) AS AMENDED BY THE ROAD

TRAFFIC (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ACT 1991 AND THE TRAFFIC MANAGEMENT ACT 2004

The Council of London Borough of Hackney HEREBY GIVES NOTICE that due to planned TRAFFIC CALMING WORKS AT THE JUNCTION OF BOUVERIE ROAD AND MANOR ROAD N16 they have made an order. The general effect of which will be only at such times and to such extent as regulatory traffic signs are displayed to: -

1. Prohibition of driving	
Bouverie Road	From its junction with Manor Road in a southerly direction for a distance of 25 metres

2. Prohibition of waiting loading and unloading at any time	
Bouverie Road both sides	From its junction with Manor Road in a southerly direction for a distance of 25 metres

3. The restriction will not apply to vehicles being used in connection with the said works or used for fire brigade, ambulance, or purposes in an emergency and anything done with the permission or at the discretion of a Police Constable in uniform.

4. The restrictions referred to in paragraphs (1) and (2) above will not apply so as to prevent vehicles gaining ingress to, or egress from the premises on or adjacent to the closed length of road in so far as such ingress or egress is reasonably practicable without undue interference with the execution of the said works.

5. The restrictions referred to in paragraph (1 & 2) above may require vehicles to be removed at the discretion of either the engineer on site or a Police Constable in uniform

6. The Order will operate on and between the following dates and times or until the work has been completed whichever is sooner

DATE	TIME	DATE	TIME
13 Apr 2009	0800 hrs	17 Apr 2009	1800 hrs

7. Further information about this notice may be obtained by contacting the helpline on: 0208 356 2897

DATED THIS 6TH DAY OF APRIL 2009.
Tom McCourt, Assistant Director (Public Realm)
(The officer appointed for this purpose)



Planning Decisions Team

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PLANNING PERMISSION UNDER ARTICLE 8 OF THE TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING (GENERAL DEVELOPMENT PROCEDURE) ORDER 1995 THE TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990 (AS AMENDED)

Date of notice: 6 April 2009

In accordance with the above act and related legislation, notice is hereby given that the application forms, plans and other documents submitted in relation to the proposal noted below may be examined at:

THE OLYMPIC DELIVERY AUTHORITY PLANNING RECEPTION,11 BURFORD ROAD, STRATFORD, LONDON, E15 2ST.

The reception is open from 09:00 – 17:00 Monday to Friday by appointment only telephone number: 020 8430 6020.

The above documents are also available to download from the Planning Register on the Planning Decisions Team website: **www.london2012.com/planning**

Anyone who wishes to make comments about the application should write to the address below quoting the relevant Application Reference Number:

HEAD OF DEVELOPMENT CONTROL, PLANNING DECISIONS TEAM, OLYMPIC DELIVERY AUTHORITY, MAILPOINT 32B, 23RD FLOOR, 1 CHURCHILL PLACE, LONDON, E14 5LN.

Alternatively comments can be made by email to: **planning.enquiries@pdt.oda.gov.uk**

Comments should be submitted within 21 days of the date of this notice and should be received by 27 April 2009.

APPLICATION REFERENCE NO: 09/90058/AODODA

Application Site: London Olympic Site - Land North Of Stratford Town Centre, East Of The Lea Valley Navigation, South Of Eastway And The A12 And West Of The Lea Valley Railway

Description of Proposal: Partial discharge of Condition OG.1 Security Arrangements of the Olympic, Paralympic and Legacy Transformation planning permission (07/90010/0UMODA) and partial discharge of Condition 43 Security Arrangements of the Outer Perimeter Security Fence (OPSF) planning permission (08/90151/FULODA) for the construction of the Command and Perimeter Security Systems (CPSS) attached to the OPSF in planning delivery zones 1 to 8 of the Olympic Park.

Applicant's name: Olympic Delivery Authority

DATED: 6 APRIL 2009

AUTHORISED BY: VIVIENNE RAMSEY ON BEHALF OF: OLYMPIC DELIVERY AUTHORITY, PLANNING DECISIONS TEAM



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